

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.
(RAILWAY BOARD.)

Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

N.B.—As regards the figures in column *Total earnings*, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RESULTS OF WORKING DURING 1ST HALF OF YEAR.										RESULTS OF WORKING FOR OFFICIAL YEAR.									
AVERAGE EARNINGS PER MILE PER WEEK.		Mean mileage worked.		Total earnings for week ending.		Earnings per mile open for week.		Total earnings from 1st January to 1st March 1913.		Increase.		Decrease.		Total earnings from 1st April to 1st March 1913.		Increase.		Decrease.	
During 1st half of 1913.	During official year 1911-12.	1912.	1913.	March 1912.	1st March 1913.	1912.	1913.	1st March 1912.	1st March 1913.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	1st March 1912.	1st April 1913.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
RAILWAYS.																			
State and Guaranteed Railways.																			
Bengal-Nagpur (including 2' 6" gauge lines)																			
312	267	2,494	2,495	9,90,154	8,76,000	397	351	70,13,911	71,90,000	1,76,089	...	...	...	3,15,29,210	3,70,04,000	54,74,790	...	...	...
372	320	21	21	9,614	6,900	458	329	64,395	64,000	...	...	...	...	3,12,831	3,44,000	31,179	...	...	...
739	741	946	946	8,63,213	7,80,000	913	772	62,07,338	60,74,000	...	...	...	1,33,333	2,98,43,352	2,97,01,000	3,57,648	...	...	...
382	415	1,510	1,570	7,15,718	6,67,000	474	425	55,31,858	58,56,000	3,24,142	...	...	...	2,98,44,206	3,20,15,000	21,70,794	...	...	...
810	761	2,392	2,472	22,20,923	21,26,000	928	860	1,64,86,910	1,78,93,000	14,07,090	...	...	...	8,47,97,681	9,45,74,000	97,76,319	...	...	...
681	586	2,473	2,472	21,34,083	20,10,000	863	813	1,60,16,032	1,64,72,000	4,55,968	...	...	...	6,81,16,517	7,34,31,000	53,14,483	...	...	1,34,318
372	354	126	126	62,341	48,400	495	384	4,78,987	3,77,000	...	...	...	1,01,387	21,16,818	19,82,000	16,694	...	...	...
102	85	40	40	4,721	5,000	117	125	33,765	36,800	3,035	...	...	...	1,61,366	1,78,000	3,80,085	...	...	...
499	454	57	57	34,671	48,500	611	851	2,40,759	3,49,000	1,08,241	...	...	...	12,33,965	16,04,000	...	...	...	...
282	252	2,585	2,585	8,34,433	7,71,000	323	298	57,37,216	60,20,000	2,82,784	...	...	...	3,06,35,894	3,25,44,000	13,08,108	...	...	...
479	427	3,806	3,806	21,41,556	13,50,000	563	355	1,49,75,061	1,35,60,000	...	...	...	14,15,001	7,51,69,534	8,24,32,000	73,62,463	...	...	...
295	273	1,579	1,602	5,80,003	4,66,000	367	291	39,35,928	38,06,000	...	...	...	1,29,928	1,92,18,907	2,21,14,000	23,95,093	...	...	...
392	273	32	32	10,885	9,000	340	281	64,976	71,400	6,425	...	...	...	4,02,610	3,97,000	...	...	...	...
146	141	790	805	1,47,444	1,36,000	187	169	10,54,300	11,28,000	73,700	...	...	...	52,18,603	59,17,000	6,98,397	...	...	...
313	267	1,529	1,545	5,53,348	5,96,000	362	386	47,12,147	49,40,000	2,27,853	...	...	...	1,90,16,554	1,99,73,000	9,56,446	...	...	...
208	198	124	124	26,906	25,700	217	207	2,36,001	2,37,000	1,999	...	...	...	11,80,619	12,68,000	77,381	...	...	...
167	153	254	293	46,925	54,200	162	185	3,93,560	4,40,000	46,440	...	...	...	18,43,379	21,36,000	2,92,621	...	...	...
165	147	411	411	76,002	82,600	185	201	5,37,344	6,37,000	99,656	...	...	...	28,55,849	33,26,000	4,70,151	...	...	...
363	317	1,828	1,838	8,17,846	6,15,000	447	396	57,14,814	59,87,000	...	...	...	8,27,814	2,67,78,280	2,84,31,000	16,43,720	...	...	...
379	350	1,396	1,396	5,66,998	5,23,000	355	378	42,42,453	49,45,000	1,05,547	...	...	...	2,32,39,393	2,50,07,000	17,67,607	...	...	...
139	139	108	108	15,842	15,100	128	140	1,33,374	1,28,000	4,626	...	...	...	7,20,326	7,61,000	40,672	...	...	...
226	226	769	792	2,00,083	2,21,000	269	279	16,42,983	16,68,000	25,067	...	...	...	89,09,037	90,31,000	7,21,963	...	...	...
74	75	33	33	2,944	2,800	...	95	13,341	19,300	850	...	...	...	2,05,214	1,09,000	3,786	...	...	...
TOTAL		404	394	1,30,56,052	1,15,50,000	216	440	9,54,56,797	9,87,91,400	19,41,603	...	...	...	46,21,40,137	50,49,59,000	4,27,18,863	...	...	...

All other Railways.

All other Railways.																	
Amritsar-Paithi-Kaer	171	168	56	56	7,938	8,000	142	143	67,392	78,000	10,008	...	4,41,894	4,86,000	44,106	...	
Bhopal-Ujjain	200	167	114	114	27,008	21,000	296	189	1,55,098	1,84,000	18,902	...	8,98,201	10,00,000	1,06,789	...	
Bina-Goon-Baran	72	54	143	143	15,709	11,700	163	79	98,736	1,08,000	19,265	...	8,67,704	4,35,000	1,27,396	...	
Delhi-Umbala-Kalka	214	326	182	182	67,223	53,200	306	277	4,78,229	4,99,000	20,771	...	29,81,152	29,74,000	...	7,152	
Jammu-Kashmir (Native State Section)	81	119	16	16	1,760	1,800	110	110	7,341	14,700	7,116	...	84,339	80,100	15,100	...	
Jullundur Doab (a)	...	...	33	33	...	2,500	...	76	...	15,100	15,100	...	...	15,100	...	...
Khanpur-Chachran	25	21	22	22	543	400	26	18	4,522	4,400	...	...	(b) 17,383	25,500	8,417	...
Ludhiana-Dhuri-Jahal	179	158	79	79	15,418	13,000	195	165	1,05,798	1,00,000	...	...	6,23,627	6,24,000	378	...
Nagda-Ujjain	229	172	34	34	8,401	6,500	247	191	55,917	49,800	...	...	2,61,969	2,72,000	10,031	...
Mirzapur-Guaranteed State	352	330	334	334	1,30,501	1,52,000	391	455	10,70,200	10,70,000	...	...	51,25,586	53,16,000	1,90,416	...
Peklad-Cambay	207	175	34	34	7,641	6,200	224	182	55,364	48,900	...	...	2,77,876	2,76,000	...	...
Rejpur-Bhatinda	414	294	108	108	46,138	38,000	427	352	3,57,648	3,10,000	...	...	15,77,384	17,94,000	2,16,616	...
Southern Punjab	299	267	425	425	1,56,385	1,10,000	368	259	13,20,472	9,89,000	...	...	52,80,692	49,87,000	...	2,48,692
Southern Punjab—Ludhiana Extension	149	147	155	155	25,972	23,000	168	148	2,02,739	2,03,000	261	...	10,24,591	10,67,000	42,409	...	
Satlej Valley	46	48	209	208	11,685	10,000	56	48	90,391	98,000	2,609	...	11,34,008	12,44,000	...	6,911	
Tapti Valley	213	159	155	155	37,040	28,000	238	181	2,67,959	2,26,000	...	...	11,34,008	12,44,000	1,09,902	...
Turkistan	375	328	22	22	9,990	6,700	454	305	71,421	53,400	...	...	3,42,879	3,36,000	...	...
Ahmedabad-Dholka	92	78	34	34	3,411	2,600	102	76	24,869	21,500	...	...	1,24,620	1,17,000	...	6,879
Ahmedabad-Parantij (including Brahmadhed Extension)	88	77	89	89	9,283	7,400	104	83	61,435	54,200	...	...	3,30,788	3,05,000	...	7,620
Bengal and North-Western	203	170	174	174	2,25,200	2,26,000	192	132	19,80,752	18,14,000	...	...	94,09,846	1,00,57,000	6,47,154	25,738
Bengal-Doonars	155	157	163	153	27,205	20,600	178	135	2,17,454	2,16,000	...	...	1,454	13,33,000	1,85,766	...
Bewarde-Masulipatam	132	114	52	52	8,925	6,800	172	131	62,614	54,300	...	...	8,314	2,95,000	16,010	...
Bhavnagar (including Dhrangadra)	181	169	179	194	34,884	38,900	195	197	2,75,445	2,87,000	11,555	...	14,30,072	14,08,000	...	22,072	
Gondal-Portbandar (including Jetalsar-Rajkot)	136	132	194	194	28,828	28,500	149	147	2,31,429	2,35,000	3,571	...	11,31,620	11,44,000	22,380	...	
Jamnagar	93	89	54	54	4,848	7,900	90	146	43,552	47,700	4,148	...	2,28,028	2,20,000	29,823	...	
Junagadh	131	105	89	113	14,404	12,500	162	111	1,09,722	98,800	...	...	4,41,177	4,71,000	10,322	...
Coch Behar	153	152	33	33	5,865	5,600	177	170	45,946	46,200	254	...	2,37,778	2,48,000	...	...
Dibru-Sadiya	286	304	83	86	27,190	26,500	316	308	2,21,731	2,28,000	6,269	...	11,17,981	12,11,000	98,019	...	
Gadwar's Mehasna (including Vijapur-Kalol Kadi)	99	89	179	184	21,215	15,700	119	85	1,56,540	1,26,000	...	...	7,40,318	6,78,000	...	62,318
Hyderabad-Godavari Valley	250	185	392	442	1,44,560	1,10,000	369	249	8,84,841	8,90,000	5,159	...	33,46,951	39,64,000	6,17,049	...	
Jaipur	95	75	73	73	7,367	6,000	101	82	52,307	46,300	...	...	2,57,259	2,81,000	23,741	...
Jodhpur-Bikaner	120	122	910	995	1,10,805	99,600	122	100	9,50,944	9,18,000	...	...	48,29,994	50,44,000	2,14,006	...
Kolhapur	244	202	29	29	10,193	6,400	348	231	71,679	61,300	...	...	2,70,051	2,73,000	2,949	...
Mirpur Khas-Jhudo	26	28	100	100	4,129	6,200	41	63	(c) 30,004	49,800	19,796	...	99,968	1,80,000	80,082	...	
Morvi (including Vankar-Morvi, 2 nd gauge)	166	144	93	93	19,282	12,000	207	129	1,38,363	92,600	...	...	6,36,172	6,17,000	...	19,172
Mymensingh-Jamalpur-Jagannathganj	130	141	55	55	9,622	9,600	174	174	80,174	77,400	...	...	3,67,114	3,57,000	...	10,114
Rohilkund and Kunson	146	178	268	268	49,585	40,900	185	153	3,17,591	3,18,000	409	...	15,92,848	19,09,000	3,16,152	...	
Sangli	161	174	5	5	976	1,000	195	200	7,626	7,500	...	...	40,736	34,500	...	6,236
Shoranur-Oochin	198	183	65	65	13,505	12,700	182	195	1,03,922	1,07,000	13,078	...	5,62,886	5,77,000	14,114	...	
Tanjore District Board	179	157	103	103	18,348	17,000	156	165	1,29,691	1,33,000	3,309	...	7,62,739	8,31,000	68,361	...	
Udaipur-Chitorgah	88	78	67	67	6,206	5,200	92	78	40,419	41,800	1,381	...	2,45,459	2,81,000	...	...
Bareilly	195	151	116	116	24,819	22,000	214	130	1,98,673	1,97,000	...	...	7,51,891	9,00,000	35,541	...
Champaner Shivrajpur	90	75	20	20	2,049	1,700	106	85	14,949	14,300	...	...	58,531	77,500	1,48,189	...
Gadwar's Dabhol	130	138	118	118	21,195	14,100	180	119	1,47,952	1,11,000	...	...	6,08,870	5,02,000	8,969	...
Koamba-Zankarao (d)	34	...	26	26	...	300	...	12	...	2,600	2,600	15,600	...	1,03,570	...
Rajpipla	80	...	37	37	4,474	3,200	120	86	32,879	25,200	...	...	1,17,107	1,02,000	...	16,107
Darjeeling Himalayan	419	394	51	51	132,516	21,000	441	412	1,47,888	1,41,000	...	...	9,888	10,24,000	73,208	...
Total	183	179	6,921	7,161	14,60,221	12,73,000	210	179	1,12,00,480	1,05,00,800	...	...	6,99,680	5,59,21,300	29,32,344	...
GRAND TOTAL	331	337	32,223	32,780	1,45,06,873	1,26,70,100	450	387	10,66,60,277	10,72,02,200	5,41,923	...	51,51,23,093	56,01,80,200	4,50,57,297	...	

(a) Opened from 1st January 1913.

(b) From 2nd July 1911.

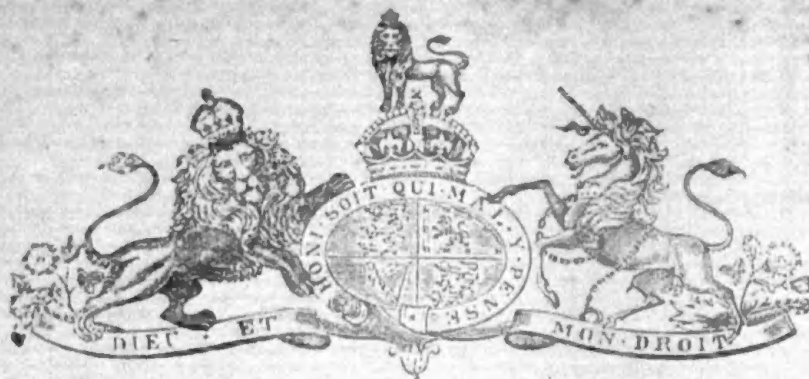
(c) Including Khadro Section opened in January 1912.

(d) Opened from 1st June 1912.

C. F. ANDERSON, Major, R.E.,

Signed, the 15th March 1913.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Speech of the Honourable Finance Member

INTRODUCING THE
BUDGET FOR 1913-14.

I have to lay before the Council the Budget for 1913-14 in its final form. The Financial Statement which I presented on the 1st of March has since then been subjected to criticism and discussion, and as the result I think I am entitled to claim that our financial arrangements have the approval of the great majority of Hon'ble Members. We have made a further examination of the figures in the light of the latest information available and the final form which they take is shown in the statements which are in the hands of Hon'ble Members, and in the explanatory memorandum which also has been revised and brought up to date.

2. The changes in the figures which I have to describe on a comparison with those entered in the Financial Statement are few and of no great importance, and I need engage but little of the time of the Council in describing them.

3. In the year which is about to close our Imperial surplus is now likely to be £31,800 higher. In the March sale we have obtained a very high price for uncertified opium and the estimate of opium receipts is increased accordingly by £51,800. Land revenue has increased by £32,000 in consequence of very high collections in Burma, and Customs also advance. On the other hand, there has been a distinct falling off in recent weeks in railway earnings chiefly on the North-Western Railway and we have had to reduce our estimate under this head by £100,000. The provincial account shows a betterment of £54,600, nearly the whole of which has accrued under land revenue with less important alterations which practically cancel each other under other heads.

4. As regards the Budget of next year I have only to notice that the Imperial surplus has been increased by a matter of £15,100, chiefly in consequence of certain corrections proposed in the budget estimates of heads of revenue, such as excise, which are divided with Local Governments. The provincial account on the other hand is £73,400 worse than in the Financial Statement; the Local Governments of Bombay and Burma having increased their provision for expenditure on Civil Works by 11 lakhs.

5. In the matter of Ways and Means, the most important feature I have to notice is the drop which has recently taken place in Council Bills, the amount offered for sale having fallen from 80 lakhs on the 5th of March to 60 lakhs on the 12th of March and again to 50 lakhs on the 19th. The Secretary of State has in consequence reduced his estimate of drawings to £25,660,000 which is £1,400,000 less than the estimate given in the Financial Statement. In view of this decline in the drawings and of the large proportion which is likely to be drawn in telegraphic transfers instead of bills, we have reduced the estimate of probable outstandings at the end of the year by £502,000. These outstandings represent bills which have been drawn and for which we have received the money in London, and which have not been cashed by us in India. It will be obvious, therefore, that a reduction in outstandings means a deterioration of the same extent in our total balance. On the other hand, there is the improvement I have already described in our revenue account which contributes an additional £86,000 to our balances; there are lapses in capital expenditure of £251,000, and an improvement under Deposits and remittances of £122,000. On the whole therefore our closing balance for the current year is likely to be only £43,000 less than the figure which I gave in the Financial Statement. I may mention that for next year the Secretary of State has increased his estimate of drawings by £450,000, and there will be in addition a remittance Home of the same amount in light weight sovereigns. These transactions do not affect our balance as a whole; but as I have just said the opening balance will be £43,000 less, there is a deterioration in the revenue account of £58,000 and the estimate of net credits from remittances has been reduced by £131,000, so that the final figures show a closing balance for 1913-14, £232,000 less than in the Financial Statement. There are no other points which it is necessary for me to bring to notice of Hon'ble Members, and I need only add before sitting down that while there will be no discussion on the Budget to-day, it will be open to them next Monday to offer any observations on it which they think proper, without moving Resolutions or dividing the Council.

GUY FLEETWOOD WILSON.

20th March 1913.

BUDGET

OF THE

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MARCH 1913

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1.—General Statement of the Revenue, and Expenditure charged to

	For details, vide State- ment.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	Budget Estimate, 1912-1913.	Revised Estimate, 1912-1913.	Budget Estimate, 1913-1914.
Revenue—					
Principal Heads of Revenue—					
		£	£	£	£
Land Revenue	A	20,764,697	21,276,000	21,325,700	21,373,200
Opium	"	5,961,278	3,622,000	5,114,600	1,445,000
Salt	"	3,391,213	3,427,800	3,336,700	3,405,300
Stamps	"	4,815,129	4,908,000	5,079,100	5,218,200
Excise	"	7,609,753	7,907,900	8,183,000	8,452,900
Customs	"	6,463,567	6,398,300	7,007,900	6,832,300
Other Heads	"	5,194,604	5,217,800	5,452,400	4,925,800
TOTAL PRINCIPAL HEADS	...	54,205,240	52,757,800	55,499,400	51,683,200
Interest	A	1,448,741	1,227,300	1,463,900	1,287,300
Post Office	"	2,134,279	2,218,900	2,259,500	2,360,800
Telegraph	"	1,087,425	1,065,100	1,142,000	1,191,800
Mint	"	367,100	205,700	532,000	240,600
Receipts by Civil Departments	"	1,238,131	1,226,600	1,300,000	1,296,300
Miscellaneous	"	813,076	552,400	713,100	589,200
Railways: Net Receipts	"	15,891,725	14,540,200	18,117,400	17,623,500
Irrigation	"	3,980,052	3,921,100	4,362,900	4,403,900
Other Public Works	"	326,924	320,900	315,600	336,900
Military Receipts	"	1,343,057	1,318,000	1,346,600	1,361,000
TOTAL REVENUE	...	82,835,750	79,354,000	87,052,400	82,324,500

DELHI,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
March 20th, 1913.

W. D. WOOLLAM,
Offg. Deputy Comptroller General.

Revenue, of the Government of India, in India, and in England.

	For details, vide State- ment.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	Budget Estimate, 1912-1913.	Revised Estimate, 1912-1913.	Budget Estimate, 1913-1914.
		£	£	£	£
Expenditure—					
Direct Demands on the Revenues	B	8,670,174	8,856,800	8,731,900	9,469,700
Interest	"	2,037,735	2,045,200	1,807,900	1,310,000
Post Office	"	2,008,470	2,049,200	2,036,400	2,057,200
Telegraph	"	1,093,934	1,094,500	1,121,100	1,231,000
Mint	"	116,507	101,400	142,300	103,700
Salaries and Expenses of Civil Departments	"	16,466,166	17,477,300	16,716,500	19,121,100
Miscellaneous Civil Charges	"	4,898,323	4,908,100	4,940,400	5,087,000
Famine Relief and Insurance	"	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
Railways: Interest and Miscellaneous Charges	"	12,103,955	12,518,300	12,601,300	13,071,200
Irrigation	"	3,174,883	3,314,900	3,291,200	3,564,600
Other Public Works	"	5,454,048	5,655,200	6,213,800	6,584,500
Military Services	"	20,901,637	20,412,500	20,982,000	21,007,800
TOTAL EXPENDITURE, IMPERIAL AND PROVINCIAL . . . . .	...	77,926,332	79,433,400	79,584,800	83,910,800
<i>Add—Provincial Surpluses: that is, portion of allotments to Provincial Governments not spent by them in the year.</i>	End of B	1,414,027	...	4,073,900	...
<i>Deduct—Provincial Deficits: that is, portion of Provincial Expenditure defrayed from Provincial Balances.</i>	"	444,943	1,557,700	...	2,912,600
TOTAL EXPENDITURE CHARGED TO REVENUE . . . . .	...	78,895,416	77,875,700	83,658,700	80,998,200
SURPLUS	3,940,334	1,478,300	3,393,700	1,326,300
TOTAL	82,835,750	79,354,000	87,052,400	82,324,500

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II. General Statement of the Receipts and Disbursements of the

	For details, vide Statement.	Receipts.			
		Accounts, 1911-1912.	Budget Estimate, 1912-1913.	Revised Estimate, 1912-1913.	Budget Estimate, 1913-1914.
		£	£	£	£
Surplus	C	3,940,334	1,478,800	3,393,700	1,326,300
Railway, Irrigation and other Capital not charged to Revenue—					
Capital raised and deposited by Railway Companies (net)	"	17,497	1,985,600	565,600	3,160,900
Debt, Deposits, and Advances—					
Permanent Debt (net incurred)	C	1,823,173	2,931,100	2,937,000	181,600
Unfunded Debt (net incurred)	"	1,815,193	1,318,700	1,741,400	1,501,400
Deposits and Advances (net)	"	2,300,480	...	4,736,900	...
Loans and Advances by Imperial Government (net Repayments)	"	201,914	...	187,600	13,100
Loans to Local Boards for Railway Construction	"	6,583	6,900	6,900	7,100
Remittances (net)	"	49,524	3,400	161,600	...
Secretary of State's Bills drawn	"	25,070,216	15,500,000	25,660,000	21,650,000
TOTAL RECEIPTS . . . . .	...	35,133,914	23,204,000	39,440,700	27,790,300
Opening Balance—India . . . . .	...	13,566,922	11,808,222	12,279,639	19,543,889
England . . . . .	...	18,174,349 ^(a)	19,395,949	19,463,723 ^(a)	9,377,923 ^(a)
TOTAL	66,875,185	54,408,171	71,184,112	56,712,112

(a) Include balances of the Gold Standard Reserve as shown

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DELHI,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT;
March 20th, 1913.

Government of India, in India and in England.

	For details, vide Statement.	DISBURSEMENTS.			
		Accounts, 1911-1912.	Budget Estimate, 1912-1913.	Revised Estimate, 1912-1913.	Budget Estimate, 1913-1914.
		£	£	£	£
Railway, Irrigation and other Capital not charged to Revenue—					
Outlay on Irrigation Works	C	1,536,531	1,415,500	1,441,800	1,466,700
Outlay on State Railways	"	6,981,384	7,836,700	8,942,000	10,113,400
Initial outlay on new Capital at Delhi	"	4,992	1,333,300	111,900	1,333,300
Outlay of Railway Companies (net)	"	986,530	1,319,500	1,195,000	2,048,300
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNT DISBURSEMENTS . . . . .	...	9,509,437	11,905,000	11,690,700	14,961,700
Debt, Deposits and Advances—					
Temporary Debt (net Discharged)	C	500,000	4,500,000	4,500,000	...
Deposits and Advances (net)	"	...	1,184,300	...	2,248,700
Loans and Advances by Imperial Government (net Advances)	"	...	165,400	...	...
Loans and Advances by Provincial Governments (net Advances)	"	193,155	240,000	193,900	125,900
Remittances (net) . . . . .	...	...	...	...	68,100
Secretary of State's Bill paid	"	24,929,181	15,769,000	25,874,700	21,650,000
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS . . . . .	...	35,131,773	33,763,700	42,262,300	39,054,400
Closing Balance -- India . . . . .	...	12,279,689	12,868,022	19,543,869	12,510,689
England	19,468,723^(a)	7,776,449	9,877,923^(a)	5,111,023^(a)
TOTAL	66,875,185	54,408,171	71,184,112	56,712,112

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A.—Statement of the Revenue

HEADS OF REVENUE.	ACCOUNTS, 1911-1912.					REVENUE	
	INDIA. (RUPEE FIGURES.)		Total India (converted into £ at Rs 15 = £1).	England.	TOTAL.	INDIA. (RUPEE FIGURES.)	
	Imperial.	Provincial.				Imperial.	Provincial.
Principal Heads of Revenue—	R	R	£	£	£	R	R
I.—Land Revenue	11,53,67,189	19,61,03,817	20,764,697	...	20,764,697	7,43,43,000	24,55,42,...
II.—Opium	8,94,19,170	...	5,981,278	...	5,981,278	7,67,18,000	...
III.—Salt	5,08,68,180	...	3,91,212	...	3,91,212	5,00,51,000	...
IV.—Stamps	3,66,41,120	8,55,83,820	4,815,129	...	4,815,129	3,87,04,000	3,74,87,...
V.—Excise	3,39,35,952	8,02,10,933	7,609,753	...	7,609,753	3,47,51,000	8,79,94,...
VI.—Provincial Rates	13,592	82,16,003	548,080	...	548,680	21,000	83,38,...
VII.—Customs	9,70,28,499	...	6,468,667	...	6,468,667	10,51,19,000	...
VIII.—Assessed Taxes	1,36,86,519	1,11,06,662	1,652,878	...	1,652,878	1,43,00,000	1,16,00,...
IX.—Forest	10,38,269	2,82,44,480	1,952,179	...	1,952,179	9,76,000	3,02,77,...
X.—Registration	67,394	66,20,543	445,862	...	445,862	79,000	71,40,...
XI.—Tributes from Native States.	89,25,074	...	595,005	...	595,005	90,45,000	...
TOTAL	44,69,92,248	36,60,86,358	54,205,240	...	54,205,240	40,41,08,000	42,83,83,...
XII.—Interest	1,04,88,928	43,87,150	991,739	457,002	1,448,741	1,07,04,000	43,62,...
XIII.—Post Office	3,20,14,179	...	2,134,279	...	2,134,279	3,38,92,000	...
XIV.—Telegraph	1,62,36,543	...	1,082,436	4,989	1,087,425	1,70,97,000	...
XV.—Mint	57,04,452	...	366,963	137	367,100	79,85,000	...
Receipts by Civil Departments—							
XVI.—Law and Justice { Courts	2,91,613	45,64,247	323,900	...	323,900	2,36,000	40,10,...
{ Jails	3,75,053	34,25,282	259,354	...	259,354	3,70,000	33,50,...
XVII.—Police	59,500	17,81,559	122,708	...	122,708	61,000	19,89,...
XVIII.—Ports and Pilotage	...	22,76,032	151,707	...	151,707	...	23,50,...
XIX.—Education	44,906	30,39,247	205,910	...	205,910	50,000	32,40,...
XX.—Medical	7,658	9,82,168	65,988	859	66,847	9,000	11,97,...
XXI.—Scientific and other minor departments	2,75,801	14,22,008	113,187	998	114,185	2,43,000	14,30,...
TOTAL	10,53,597	1,74,90,513	1,236,274	1,857	1,238,131	9,74,000	1,85,09,...
Miscellaneous—							
XXII.—Receipts in aid of Superannuation	12,36,043	7,84,623	134,751	66,719	201,470	12,00,000	8,11,...
XXIII.—Stationery and Printing	6,71,671	7,91,091	96,891	...	96,891	6,33,000	7,95,...
XXIV.—Exchange	15,85,457	...	105,907	...	105,907	16,39,000	...
XXV.—Miscellaneous	25,34,016	30,60,543	372,304	36,714	4,9,018	15,16,000	28,68,...
TOTAL	60,17,787	46,26,800	709,643	104,433	813,076	50,48,000	44,74,...
Railways—							
XXVI.—State Railways (Gross Receipts)	50,35,97,021	1,10,4,435	33,578,899	230	33,579,129	55,43,80,000	1,10,...
Deduct:—Working Expenses	25,88,61,617	84,107	17,263,048	...	17,263,048	27,39,12,000	88,...
Surplus profits paid to Companies, etc.	72,80,008	...	482,001	...	482,001	98,19,000	...
Net Receipts	23,74,75,396	32,358	15,833,850	230	15,834,080	27,06,59,000	22,...
XXVIII.—Subsidised Companies (Government share of surplus profits and Repayment of advances of Interest)	1,92,296	...	12,820	44,825	57,645	2,14,000	...
TOTAL	23,76,67,692	32,358	15,846,670	45,055	15,891,725	27,08,73,000	22,...
Irrigation—							
XXIX.—Major Works: Direct Receipts	1,47,35,150	2,09,87,838	2,381,533	...	2,381,533	1,66,61,000	2,24,24,...
Portion of Land Revenue due to Irrigation	1,10,88,126	91,83,851	1,351,435	...	1,351,465	1,22,52,000	1,08,38,...
XXX.—Minor Works and Navigation	13,91,829	23,13,980	247,054	...	247,054	14,16,000	23,52,...
TOTAL	2,72,15,105	3,24,85,669	3,980,052	...	3,980,052	3,03,29,000	3,51,14,...
Other Public Works—							
XXXI.—Civil Works	10,53,848	38,50,619	326,924	...	326,924	7,86,000	39,48,...
Military Receipts—							
XXXII.—Army: Effective	92,45,431	...	616,862	44,668	1,061,030	1,11,00,000	...
Non-Effective	12,45,992	...	83,066	35,270	118,336	12,78,000	...
XXXIII.—Marine	1,04,91,423	...	699,428	479,938	1,179,366	1,23,78,000	...
XXXIV.—Military Works	12,73,487	...	84,900	...	84,900	13,17,000	...
	11,81,866	...	78,791	...	78,791	11,00,000	...
TOTAL	1,29,46,776	...	863,119	479,938	1,343,057	1,47,95,000	...
TOTAL REVENUE	79,71,91,155	42,89,58,927	81,743,339	1,092,411	82,835,750	79,65,26,000	49,47,06,...

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ESTIMATE, 1912-1913.			Increase + Decrease— as compared with Budget Estimate, 1912-13.	BUDGET ESTIMATE, 1913-14.					Increase + Decrease— of Budget, 1913-1914, as compared with Budget Estimate, 1912-1913.	Increase + Decrease— of Budget, 1913-1914, as compared with Revised Estimate, 1912-1913.
India converted to £ at 5-21).	England.	TOTAL.		INDIA. (RUPEE FIGURES.)		Total India (converted into £ at R1 = £1).	England.	TOTAL.		
£	£	£	£	Imperial.	Provincial.	£	£	£	£	£
1,325,700	...	21,325,700	+ 49,700	12,53,99,000	19,51,99,000	21,373,200	...	21,373,200	+97,200	+47,500
5,114,000	...	5,114,000	+ 1,49,600	2,13,70,000	...	1,445,000	...	1,445,000	-2,177,000	-3,689,000
8,336,700	...	3,331,700	-91,100	5,10,80,000	...	3,405,300	...	3,405,300	-22,500	+8,000
5,079,100	...	5,079,100	+ 171,100	3,98,20,000	3,94,48,000	5,218,300	...	5,218,300	+310,000	+1,9,100
8,181,000	...	8,183,000	+ 275,100	3,61,00,000	9,08,90,000	8,453,900	...	8,453,900	+545,000	+269,900
557,000	...	557,000	+6,900	18,000	4,13,000	28,700	...	28,700	-521,700	-528,600
7,007,900	...	7,007,900	+6,900	10,29,42,000	...	8,862,800	...	8,862,800	+441,000	-145,000
1,77,700	...	1,77,700	+81,900	1,47,72,000	1,18,00,000	1,758,200	...	1,758,200	+1,200	-20,900
2,181,500	...	2,081,500	+109,000	10,11,000	2,94,30,000	2,029,800	...	2,029,800	-55,000	-51,700
4,13,000	...	4,13,000	+37,700	90,000	72,80,000	491,900	...	491,900	+48,300	10,000
809,000	...	809,000	-100	92,58,000	...	617,200	...	617,200	+18,300	+14,200
5,490,400	...	55,499,400	+2,741,900	40,19,70,000	37,32,78,000	51,683,200	...	51,683,200	-1,074,600	-3,816,200
997,700	466,200	1,433,900	+236,600	1,09,30,000	43,27,000	1,017,100	270,200	1,287,300	+60,000	-173,000
2,259,500	...	2,259,500	+40,000	3,54,12,000	...	2,800,800	...	2,360,800	+141,000	+101,300
1,135,800	6,200	1,142,000	+76,900	1,78,01,000	...	1,181,800	5,000	1,191,800	+126,700	+49,800
532,000	...	532,000	+326,300	36,09,000	...	240,600	...	240,600	+84,900	-291,400
843,300	...	843,300	+21,600	2,62,000	48,30,000	339,700	...	339,500	+17,800	-3,600
249,000	...	249,000	-500	3,94,000	33,71,000	251,000	...	251,000	+1,500	+2,000
136,300	...	136,300	+28,800	64,000	17,90,000	124,000	...	124,000	+16,500	-12,300
157,900	...	157,900	+11,700	...	23,80,000	19,900	...	159,900	+13,700	+2,000
219,300	...	219,000	+6,000	59,000	34,02,000	23,700	...	230,700	+18,000	+11,400
80,400	800	81,200	+15,900	10,000	10,84,000	72,900	700	73,600	-8,000	-7,000
112,200	800	113,000	-10,700	1,80,000	15,71,000	115,800	800	117,000	-6,100	+4,600
1,298,400	1,600	1,300,000	+73,400	9,69,000	1,84,52,000	1,291,800	1,500	1,293,300	+99,700	-3,700
138,100	63,100	201,200	+2,100	12,43,000	8,68,000	142,100	64,600	206,700	7,000	+5,500
95,200	...	95,200	+200	6,29,000	7,85,000	91,400	...	94,300	-700	-100
109,300	...	109,300	+1,000	5,00,000	...	33,300	...	33,300	-33,000	-76,000
292,200	15,200	307,400	+49,000	13,44,000	21,53,000	233,100	21,800	254,900	-3,400	-52,500
634,800	78,800	713,600	+160,700	37,36,000	38,06,000	502,800	86,400	589,200	+36,800	-121,900
86,936,600	200	86,936,800	+4,392,900	55,11,90,000	1,10,000	36,753,300	200	36,753,500	+4,186,600	-213,300
18,266,600	...	18,266,600	-599,900	28,21,62,000	37,000	18,816,600	...	18,816,600	-1,149,900	-550,000
654,600	...	654,600	-248,700	59,70,000	...	999,000	...	399,000	+3,100	+256,600
18,045,400	200	18,045,600	+3,556,500	26,30,78,000	23,000	17,538,700	200	17,538,900	+3,040,800	-50,700
14,300	57,500	71,800	+20,700	2,19,000	...	14,700	70,000	84,600	+33,500	+12,800
18,059,700	57,700	18,117,400	+3,577,200	26,32,77,000	23,000	17,553,800	70,200	17,623,500	+3,063,300	-493,900
2,605,700	...	2,605,700	+813,200	1,66,32,000	2,28,61,000	2,619,500	...	2,619,500	+327,000	+13,800
1,506,000	...	1,506,000	+121,700	1,24,36,000	1,05,10,000	1,529,700	...	1,529,700	+145,400	+2,700
251,200	...	251,200	+6,900	14,58,000	23,62,000	254,700	...	254,700	+10,400	+3,500
4,362,900	...	4,362,900	+441,800	3,05,26,000	3,55,33,000	4,403,900	...	4,403,900	+482,800	+41,000
315,000	...	315,600	-5,300	5,20,000	37,84,000	286,900	...	286,900	-34,000	-28,700
740,000	324,300	1,064,300	+21,700	1,09,74,000	...	731,600	330,000	1,032,200	+19,600	-2,100
85,000	36,000	121,000	+8,900	12,97,000	...	86,500	38,000	124,500	+12,200	+3,300
825,200	360,300	1,185,500	+30,700	1,22,71,000	...	818,100	368,600	1,186,700	+31,000	+1,200
87,800	...	87,800	-3,300	14,74,000	...	98,300	...	98,300	+7,200	+10,300
73,300	...	73,300	+1,300	11,40,000	...	76,000	...	76,000	+4,000	+2,700
983,800	360,300	1,344,600	+28,600	1,48,85,000	...	992,400	368,600	1,361,000	+43,000	+14,400
89,083,100	970,300	89,052,400	+7,698,400	78,30,35,000	48,92,08,000	81,523,600	801,900	82,324,500	+2,970,500	-4,727,900

B.—Statement of the Expenditure charged to the

HEADS OF EXPENDITURE.	ACCOUNTS, 1911-1912					REVISED ESTIMATE, 1912-1913.	
	INDIA. (RUPEE FIGURES).		Total India (converted into £ at R 15 = £1).	England.	TOTAL.	INDIA. (RUPEE FIGURES).	
	Imperial.	Provincial.				Imperial.	Provincial.
Direct Demands on the Revenues	R	R	£	£	£	R	R
1.—Refunds and Drawbacks	36,79,617	13,54,531	335,610	...	335,610	33,83,000	13,63,000
2.—Assignments and Compensations	81,92,300	1,01,31,423	1,221,581	...	1,221,581	81,94,000	1,02,04,000
Charges in respect of Collection, viz. :—							
3.—Land Revenue	40,90,099	5,36,76,175	3,784,418	2,036	3,786,454	41,19,000	5,45,84,000
4.—Opium (including cost of Production)	1,09,17,776	...	727,852	1,600	729,452	90,24,000	...
5.—Salt (including cost of Production)	55,16,410	...	367,781	729	368,400	56,29,000	...
6.—Stamps	—4,55,888	11,19,765	44,259	69,931	134,190	—2,72,000	11,92,000
7.—Excise	21,39,573	41,47,535	419,142	111	419,253	21,09,000	44,07,000
8.—Provincial Rates	...	85,418	5,695	...	5,695	...	91,000
9.—Customs	37,53,695	...	250,241	467	250,713	38,98,000	...
10.—Assessed Taxes	2,13,525	2,10,648	28,278	...	28,278	2,22,000	2,17,000
11.—Forest	9,20,585	1,61,19,705	1,136,019	6,183	1,142,202	9,44,000	1,68,75,000
12.—Registration	20,348	37,03,481	243,256	...	243,256	24,000	36,98,000
TOTAL	3,89,88,040	8,95,48,711	8,569,117	101,057	8,670,174	3,72,72,000	9,23,81,000
Interest—							
13.—Interest on Debt	3,66,31,245	1,22,62,602	3,259,590	6,022,639	9,282,229	3,70,12,000	1,29,88,000
Deduct—Amounts chargeable to Railways†	4,56,26,525	...	3,041,765	3,682,443	6,664,210	4,97,64,000	...
" Amounts chargeable to Irrigation	66,69,010	98,35,070	1,066,272	116,695	1,182,967	74,74,000	99,83,000
Remainder chargeable on Ordinary Debt	—1,56,64,290	29,37,532	—848,450	2,383,002	1,435,152	—2,02,26,000	30,05,000
14.—Interest on other obligations	90,38,751	...	602,583	...	602,583	99,14,000	...
TOTAL	—66,25,539	29,37,532	—245,867	2,283,602	2,037,735	—1,03,12,000	30,05,000
15.—Post Office	2,93,03,231	...	1,953,549	54,921	2,008,470	2,97,25,000	...
16.—Telegraph	1,36,53,986	...	910,366	183,668	1,093,934	1,41,29,000	...
17.—Mint	16,63,540	...	110,903	5,604	116,507	20,28,000	...
Salaries and Expenses of Civil Departments—							
18.—General Administration	1,70,71,107	1,56,86,466	2,183,878	442,403	2,626,241	1,03,45,000	1,28,57,000
19.—Law and Justice { Courts	9,30,457	4,37,52,444	2,978,880	3,186	2,981,993	10,30,000	4,39,23,000
{ Jails	18,29,614	1,08,11,372	842,732	...	842,732	18,93,000	1,12,84,000
20.—Police	30,02,378	6,60,17,209	4,001,303	1,671	4,002,977	31,56,000	6,66,21,000
21.—Ports and Pilotage	...	27,24,663	181,644	48	181,690	...	27,85,000
22.—Education	7,12,380	2,94,47,531	2,010,641	10,528	2,021,169	17,30,000	3,71,62,000
23.—Ecclesiastical	18,32,747	...	124,181	305	124,483	18,80,000	...
24.—Medical	8,31,604	1,63,26,671	1,141,885	11,605	1,153,490	27,56,000	1,75,97,000
25.—Political	1,27,54,099	16,21,737	97,849	9,769	988,178	1,28,75,000	20,26,000
26.—Scientific and other Minor Departments	69,16,326	71,44,882	937,414	23,791	961,205	69,74,000	84,80,000
TOTAL	4,59,10,712	19,35,82,975	15,962,912	503,254	16,466,166	4,13,39,000	20,27,45,000
Miscellaneous Civil Charges—							
27.—Territorial and Political Pensions	32,39,416	...	215,931	11,100	227,031	31,91,000	...
28.—Civil Furlough and Absentee Allowances	19,597	...	1,307	424,435	425,742	1,000	...
29.—Superannuation Allowances and Pensions	12,50,974	1,59,52,891	1,141,924	2,040,495	3,187,420	13,70,000	1,06,95,000
30.—Stationery and Printing	10,92,392	73,79,431	564,788	104,913	669,691	10,74,000	77,97,000
32.—Miscellaneous	9,62,118	43,47,828	353,996	34,913	388,909	11,83,000	34,16,000
TOTAL	65,64,482	2,76,80,150	2,262,976	2,615,847	4,898,828	68,34,000	2,78,51,000
Famine Relief and Insurance—							
33.—Famine Relief	17,14,503	—100	114,283	...	114,293	29,30,000	...
34.—Construction of Protective Railways	4,37,949	...	29,179	15,096	44,275	4,35,000	...
35.—Construction of Protective Irrigation Works	56,53,204	...	378,881	4,584	383,465	60,87,000	...
36.—Reduction or Avoidance of Debt	31,19,505	37,50,000	457,967	...	457,967	14,68,000	37,50,000
TOTAL	1,09,54,901	37,49,900	980,320	19,680	1,000,000	1,09,20,000	37,50,000
Carried over	14,04,13,363	31,74,49,268	30,524,176	5,767,683	36,291,859	18,19,35,000	32,97,32,000

ACCOUNTS, 1911-1912.				REVISED ESTIMATE, 1912-1913.			
INDIA.		England.	TOTAL.	INDIA.		England.	TOTAL.
Amount in Rupees.	Equivalent in £ at R15 = £1.			Amount in Rupees.	Equivalent in £ at R15 = £1.		
R	£	£	£	R	£	£	£
State Railways—Interest on Debt	4,24,81,923	2,832,128	3,443,942	6,279,070	4,63,50,000	3,090,000	3,608,800
Ditto —Interest chargeable against Companies on Advances	31,44,602	209,640	178,600	385,140	34,14,000	237,600	176,500
TOTAL	4,56,26,525	3,041,768	3,622,442	6,664,210	4,97,64,000	3,317,600	3,784,300

†Included under the following heads :—
State Railways—Interest on Debt
Ditto —Interest chargeable against Companies on Advances

Revenues of India, in India and in England.

ESTIMATE, 1912-1913.			Increase + Decrease— as compared with Budget Estimate, 1912-1913.	BUDGET ESTIMATE, 1913-1914.					Increase + Decrease — of Budget, 1913-1914, as compared with Budget Estimate, 1912-1913.	Increase + Decrease — of Budget, 1913-1914, as compared with Revised Estimate, 1912-1913.
Total India (converted into £ at R15 = £1).	England.	TOTAL.		INDIA. RUPEE (FIGURES).		Total India (converted into £ at R15 = £1).	England.	TOTAL.		
				Imperial.	Provincial.					
£	£	£	£	R	R	£	£	£	£	£
316,400	...	316,400	+41,200	82,44,000	12,78,000	301,500	...	301,500	+29,300	-14,900
1,226,500	...	1,226,500	-1,700	81,89,000	1,03,55,000	1,236,300	...	1,236,300	+8,100	+0,800
3,910,200	2,000	3,912,200	-56,000	47,03,000	5,56,71,000	4,024,900	1,300	4,026,200	+58,000	+114,000
601,100	400	602,000	-85,700	1,70,25,000	...	1,135,000	400	1,135,400	+44,700	+533,400
575,300	900	577,200	-700	50,57,000	...	377,100	1,600	378,600	+1,700	+2,400
61,800	80,000	141,300	-13,700	-1,42,000	12,24,000	72,100	91,600	163,700	+8,700	+22,400
434,400	...	434,400	+400	21,74,000	46,10,000	452,300	...	452,300	+18,300	+17,900
6,100	...	6,100	+200	...	...	...	...	...	-5,900	-6,100
259,800	200	260,000	+4,000	40,03,000	...	266,900	100	267,000	+11,000	+7,000
20,300	...	20,300	-300	2,39,000	2,32,000	31,400	...	31,400	+1,800	+2,100
1,174,00	4,800	1,179,400	-17,800	12,86,000	1,70,14,000	1,220,000	4,600	1,224,600	+27,400	+45,200
248,100	...	248,100	+2,200	27,000	37,64,000	25,700	...	252,700	+6,800	+4,000
8,643,600	88,800	8,731,900	-124,900	4,64,05,000	9,41,48,000	9,370,500	99,500	9,469,700	+612,900	+737,800
3,333,400	6,204,100	9,537,500	-87,600	3,80,85,000	1,34,15,000	3,433,300	5,912,800	9,346,100	-229,000	-191,400
3,317,600	3,784,300	7,101,900	-160,700	5,37,06,000	...	3,580,400	3,806,800	7,387,200	-446,000	-285,300
1,163,800	124,800	1,288,600	-47,100	81,52,000	1,93,42,000	1,232,900	126,900	1,359,800	-118,300	-71,200
-1,148,000	2,295,000	1,147,000	-245,400	-2,37,73,000	30,73,000	-1,38,000	1,979,100	589,100	-703,300	-547,900
660,900	...	660,900	+8,100	1,03,64,000	...	710,900	...	710,900	+53,100	+50,000
-487,100	2,295,000	1,807,900	-237,300	-1,31,09,000	30,73,000	-609,100	1,979,100	1,310,000	-735,200	-497,900
1,081,700	54,700	2,036,400	-12,800	2,99,04,000	...	1,993,000	63,000	2,057,200	+8,000	+20,800
941,900	179,200	1,121,100	+20,600	1,45,96,000	...	973,100	267,900	1,231,000	+133,500	+109,900
135,200	7,100	142,300	+40,900	14,33,000	...	95,000	8,100	103,700	+2,300	-38,800
1,546,800	380,800	1,927,600	+23,600	1,04,07,000	1,28,27,000	1,548,900	380,000	1,938,900	+34,900	+11,300
2,996,900	3,200	3,000,100	+23,000	11,48,000	4,43,15,000	3,030,900	500	3,031,400	+54,300	+31,300
878,000	...	878,500	-10,700	19,44,000	1,14,83,000	895,100	...	895,100	+5,800	+1,000
4,551,800	1,600	4,553,400	-7,600	37,59,000	7,03,12,000	4,938,100	1,500	4,939,600	+278,000	+286,200
185,700	100	185,800	+10,200	...	20,83,600	158,900	100	159,000	+23,400	+1,200
2,379,400	10,500	2,389,900	-478,000	20,02,000	5,90,09,000	4,67,400	10,500	4,077,900	+1,010,000	+1,488,000
125,300	400	125,700	-6,200	19,32,000	...	128,800	400	129,200	-2,700	+3,500
13,68,000	12,100	13,80,000	-325,900	22,69,000	2,78,63,000	2,008,800	12,000	2,020,800	+326,000	+651,000
993,400	9,600	1,003,000	+76,700	1,32,70,000	25,73,000	1,056,000	22,800	1,078,800	+132,700	+76,000
957,600	26,000	983,600	-65,900	63,69,000	98,95,000	1,084,000	28,900	1,113,200	+65,700	+120,000
16,272,200	441,300	16,716,500	-700,000	4,31,00,000	24,12,61,000	18,957,400	461,700	19,424,100	+1,946,900	+2,707,000
212,700	11,300	224,000	-5,000	32,39,000	...	215,900	11,100	227,000	-2,000	+3,000
1,100	409,000	410,100	+5,600	12,000	...	80	404,000	404,800	+300	-5,300
1,201,300	2,074,000	3,275,300	+33,600	15,35,000	1,72,77,000	1,254,100	2,077,000	3,331,100	+83,400	+52,800
587,400	96,400	683,800	-7,900	11,90,000	77,15,000	594,100	84,600	678,700	-13,000	-5,100
306,800	37,100	344,200	+6,000	21,48,000	38,06,000	323,900	48,500	372,400	+107,200	+101,200
2,312,300	2,028,100	4,340,400	+32,300	81,30,000	2,87,98,000	2,461,800	2,625,200	5,087,000	+178,900	+146,600
195,300	...	195,300	+61,600	6,99,000	...	46,600	...	46,600	-86,900	-148,700
29,000	14,900	43,900	+600	1,29,000	...	8,600	...	8,600	-34,700	-35,300
40,800	7,100	47,900	-43,800	72,63,000	...	481,200	7,200	488,400	+34,700	+78,300
347,900	...	347,900	-18,600	30,51,000	37,50,000	453,400	...	453,400	+85,900	+105,600
978,000	22,000	1,000,000	...	1,11,42,000	37,50,000	992,800	7,200	1,000,000	...	...
80,777,800	6,718,700	87,496,500	-1,086,000	14,16,01,000	37,10,30,000	34,175,400	6,507,300	39,682,700	+2,150,200	+3,180,200

BUDGET ESTIMATE, 1913-1914.

INDIA.			
Amount in Rupees.	Equivalent in £ at R15 = £1.	England.	TOTAL.
R	£	£	£
5,00,79,000	3,338,600	3,631,300	6,969,900
36,27,000	241,800	175,500	417,300
5,37,55,000	3,580,400	3,806,800	7,387,200

B.—Statement of the Expenditure charged to

HEADS OF EXPENDITURE.	ACCOUNTS, 1911-1912.					REV.	
	INDIA. (RUPEE FIGURES.)		Total India (converted into £ at R 15 = £1)	England.	TOTAL.	INDIA. (RUPEE FIGURES.)	
	Imperial.	Provincial.				Imperial.	Provincial.
	R	R	£	£	£	R	R
Brought forward	14,04,18,863	31,74,49,268	30,524,176	5,767,638	36,291,800	13,19,85,000	32,97,32,000
Railways—							
38.—State Railways: Interest on Debt	4,24,81,923	...	2,832,128	3,416,942	6,279,070	4,63,50,000	...
Annuities in purchase of Railways	...	...	...	3,357,301	3,357,301	...	...
Sinking Funds	...	...	...	177,677	177,677	...	...
Interest chargeable against Companies on Advances	31,44,002	...	209,640	175,500	385,140	34,14,000	...
Interest on Capital deposited by Companies	26,80,203	...	178,680	1,647,290	1,825,970	28,98,000	...
40.—Subsidized Companies: Land, etc.	8,96,204	13,190	60,626	...	60,626	7,64,000	...
41.—Miscellaneous Railway Expenditure	2,62,400	10,100	18,171	...	18,171	8,47,000	...
TOTAL	4,94,65,332	23,350	3,299,245	8,804,710	12,103,955	5,42,73,000	...
Irrigation—							
42.—Major Works: Working Expenses	75,73,960	95,97,583	1,145,103	...	1,145,103	76,80,000	94,47,000
Interest on Debt	66,69,010	93,25,070	1,066,272	116,595	1,182,867	74,74,000	99,32,000
42A.—Expenditure on Protective Irrigation Works in addition to that charged under Famine Relief and Insurance	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
43.—Minor Works and Navigation	39,65,122	87,25,975	846,073	840	846,913	41,28,000	87,42,000
TOTAL	1,82,13,092	2,76,48,628	3,057,448	117,435	3,174,883	1,92,02,000	2,81,74,000
Other Public Works—							
44.—Construction of Railways charged to Provincial Revenues	1,12,37,405	12,535	836	...	836	1,61,88,000	7,56,000
45.—Civil Works	...	6,92,88,892	5,368,419	84,793	5,453,212	...	...
TOTAL	1,12,37,405	6,93,01,427	5,369,255	84,793	5,454,048	1,61,88,000	7,56,000
Military Services—							
46.—Army: Effective	20,84,03,972	...	13,893,598	2,439,364	16,332,962	20,51,01,000	...
Non-Effective	1,04,85,676	...	699,045	2,504,539	3,203,584	1,06,12,000	...
	21,88,89,647	...	14,592,643	4,943,903	19,536,546	21,57,13,000	...
46A.—Marine	37,61,939	...	250,796	199,932	450,728	37,92,000	...
47.—Military Works	1,30,81,104	...	872,407	37,250	909,657	1,27,59,000	...
47A.—Special Defences (1902)	40,570	...	2,705	2,001	4,706	1,00,000	...
TOTAL	23,57,78,260	...	15,718,551	5,183,086	20,901,637	23,23,64,000	...
TOTAL EXPENDITURE, IMPERIAL AND PROVINCIAL	45,51,07,452	41,44,22,673	57,938,075	19,957,657	77,926,332	45,40,52,000	43,35,32,000
Add—Portion of Allowments to Provincial Governments not spent by them in the year	...	2,12,10,407	1,414,027	...	1,414,027	...	6,11,000
Deduct—Portion of Provincial Expenditure defrayed from Provincial Balances	...	66,74,153	444,943	...	444,943	...	...
Total Expenditure charged to Revenue	45,51,07,452	42,89,58,927	58,937,769	19,957,657	78,895,416	45,40,52,000	49,46,000

Capital Expenditure not charged to Revenue—	ACCOUNTS, 1911-1912.			
	INDIA.		England.	TOTAL.
	Amount in Rupees.	Equivalent in £ at R15 = £1.		
	R	£	£	
48.—State Railways	7,26,11,789	4,840,786	2,140,598	6,981,384
49.—Irrigation Works	2,17,33,198	1,448,880	87,651	1,536,531
TOTAL	9,43,44,987	6,289,666	2,228,249	8,517,915
51.—Initial Expenditure on new Capital at Delhi	74,799	4,986	6	4,992

Revenue of India, in India and in England—continued.

BUDGET ESTIMATE, 1912-1913.			Increase + Decrease— as compared with Budget Estimate, 1912-1913.	BUDGET ESTIMATE, 1913-1914.					Increase + Decrease— of Budget, 1913-1914, as compared with Budget Estimate, 1912-1913.	Increase + Decrease— of Budget, 1913-1914, as compared with Revised Estimate, 1912-1913.
Total India converted into £ at Rs 15 = £1).	England.	TOTAL.		INDIA. (RUPEE FIGURES.)		Total India (converted into £ at Rs 15 = £1).	England.	TOTAL.		
				Imperial.	Provincial.					
£	£	£	£	R	R	£	£	£	£	£
77,800	5,718,700	36,496,500	-1,036,000	14,16,01,000	37,10,30,000	34,175,400	5,507,300	39,682,700	+2,150,200	+3,186,200
90,000	3,608,800	6,698,800	+185,200	5,00,79,000	...	3,338,600	3,631,300	6,969,900	+456,300	+271,100
...	3,357,700	3,357,700	-100	...	...	...	3,379,500	3,379,500	+21,700	+21,800
...	184,300	184,300	...	...	...	...	191,500	191,500	+7,200	+7,200
27,600	175,500	403,100	-24,500	30,27,000	...	241,800	175,500	417,300	-10,300	+14,200
103,200	1,654,900	1,848,100	-14,600	34,33,000	...	228,900	1,726,200	1,955,100	+92,400	+107,000
52,200	...	52,200	-69,000	16,00,000	10,000	107,300	...	107,300	-13,900	+55,100
57,100	...	57,100	+6,000	7,58,000	...	50,600	...	50,600	-500	-6,500
29,100	8,981,200	12,601,300	+83,000	5,94,97,000	10,000	3,967,200	9,104,000	13,071,200	+552,900	+469,900
142,900	...	1,142,300	+36,400	78,61,000	95,78,000	1,162,600	...	1,162,600	+51,700	+20,900
163,800	124,800	1,288,600	+47,100	81,52,000	1,03,42,000	1,232,900	126,900	1,359,800	+118,300	+71,200
...	...	...	-43,300	16,29,000	...	108,600	...	108,600	+65,300	+108,600
358,400	1,900	860,300	-63,900	45,91,000	93,05,000	928,400	7,200	933,600	+9,400	+73,300
164,500	126,700	3,291,200	-23,700	2,22,33,000	2,92,25,000	3,430,500	131,100	3,564,600	+249,700	+273,400
4,100	...	4,100	+600	...	32,000	2,100	...	2,100	-1,400	-2,000
19,200	90,500	6,209,700	+558,000	1,48,59,000	8,25,95,000	6,497,000	85,400	6,582,400	+930,700	+372,700
123,300	90,500	6,213,800	+558,600	1,48,59,000	8,26,27,000	6,499,100	85,400	6,584,500	+929,300	+370,700
273,400	2,692,500	16,365,900	+510,900	20,36,18,000	...	13,574,700	2,723,000	16,297,500	+442,500	-68,400
707,500	2,535,300	3,242,800	+13,100	1,06,40,000	...	709,400	2,549,000	3,258,400	+26,700	+15,000
389,900	5,227,500	19,008,700	+524,000	21,42,58,000	...	14,283,900	5,272,000	19,555,900	+471,200	-52,800
252,800	224,000	476,800	+29,700	34,01,000	...	226,700	251,600	478,300	+31,200	+1,500
350,600	30,000	880,600	+20,100	1,39,39,000	...	920,000	19,800	949,100	+88,600	+68,500
6,600	9,300	15,900	-4,300	2,62,000	...	17,400	7,100	24,500	+4,300	+8,600
490,900	5,491,100	20,982,000	+569,500	23,18,60,000	...	15,457,300	5,550,500	21,007,800	+595,300	+25,800
176,600	20,403,200	79,584,800	+151,400	47,00,50,000	48,28,92,000	63,529,700	20,381,300	83,910,800	+4,477,400	+4,326,000
1073,900	...	4,073,900	+5,631,600	...	...	...	...	...	-1,354,900	-6,986,500
...	...	...		...	4,36,59,000	2,912,600	...	2,912,600		
250,500	20,408,200	83,658,700	+5,783,000	47,00,50,000	43,92,03,000	60,616,900	20,381,300	80,998,200	+3,122,500	-2,660,500

REVISED ESTIMATE, 1912-1913.

BUDGET ESTIMATE, 1913-1914.

INDIA.				INDIA			
Amount in Rupees.	Equivalent in £ at Rs 15 = £1.	England.	TOTAL.	Amount in Rupees.	Equivalent in £ at Rs 15 = £1.	England.	TOTAL.
Ra.	£	£	£	Ra.	£	£	£
3,00,000	6,440,000	2,502,000	8,942,000	11,40,53,000	7,603,500	2,509,900	10,113,400
1,27,000	1,408,500	33,300	1,441,800	2,06,77,000	1,378,500	88,200	1,466,700
7,27,000	7,848,500	2,535,300	10,383,800	13,47,30,000	8,982,000	2,598,100	11,580,100
5,73,000	104,900	7,000	111,900	1,09,25,000	1,328,300	5,000	1,333,300

C.—Statement of Receipts and Disbursement of the

	ACCOUNTS, 1911-1912.			REVISED ESTIMATE, 1912-1913.			BUDGET ESTIMATE, 1913-1914.		
	India.	England.	TOTAL.	India.	England.	TOTAL.	India.	England.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Revenue (from Statement A) .	81,743,339	1,002,411	82,835,750	86,082,100	970,300	87,052,400	81,522,600	801,900	82,324,500
Excess of Revenue over Expenditure charged to Revenue			3,940,334			3,393,700			1,326,300
Railway, Irrigation, and other Capital not charged to Revenue—									
OUTLAY OF RAILWAY COMPANIES—									
Repayments . . . . .	...	2,029	2,029	...	4,000	4,000	..	2,000	2,000
NET			0			0			0
RAISED AND DEPOSITED BY RAILWAY COMPANIES—									
On account of Subscribed Capital	57,497	...	57,497	70,600	655,000	725,600	160,900	4,415,000	4,575,900
NET			17,497			585,600			3,160,900
Permanent Debt Incurred—									
Sterling Debt—									
India Stock . . . . .	...	2,955,103		...	3,000,000		...	...
Rupce Debt—									
Rupce Loan	1,333,333	...		2,000,000	...		2,000,000	...	
TOTAL NET	1,333,333	2,955,103	4,188,436	2,000,000	3,000,000	5,000,000	2,000,000	...	2,000,000
			1,823,173			2,937,000			131,500
Temporary Debt Incurred—									
Temporary Loans . . . . .	...	4,500,000	4,500,000	...	...	...	...	...	...
NET			0			0			0
Unfunded Debt—									
Deposits of Service Funds	80,721	...		90,100	...		90,000	...	
Savings Bank Deposits	6,750,855	...		7,523,400	...		7,509,800	...	
TOTAL NET	6,840,576	...	6,840,576	7,613,500	...	7,613,500	7,599,800	...	7,599,800
			1,815,193			1,741,400			1,501,400
Deposits and Advances—									
Balances of Provincial Allotments	1,414,027	...		4,073,900	...		...	...
Appropriation for Reduction or Avoidance of Debt	457,907	...		347,900	...		453,400	...	
Deposits of Local Funds—									
District Funds	3,696,473	...		4,170,501	...		3,914,000	...	
Other Funds	1,191,862	...		1,347,500	...		1,182,500	...	
Deposits of Sinking Funds	27,532	...		42,100	...		43,800	...	
Gold Standard Reserve . . . . .	...	9,485,535		8,265,700	11,363,900		...	6,178,100	
Currency Reserve—									
Council Bills appropriated . . . . .	...	1,988,333		...	1,000,000		...	...
Gold received from India . . . . .	...	...		...	...		...	...
Gold transferred	1,988,333	...		...	...		...	...
Departmental and Judicial Deposits	24,965,219	...		27,004,200	...		26,204,700	...	
Advances	10,604,375	27,227		5,198,000	8,600		4,068,800	24,600	
Suspense Accounts	287,178	...		128,100	...		17,600	...	
Exchange on Remittance Accounts (net)	22,556	...		...	...		...	...
Miscellaneous	26,174	...		2,400	...		6,800	...	
TOTAL NET	44,684,715	11,501,095	56,185,810	45,580,900	12,972,500	58,553,400	36,429,000	6,202,700	42,631,700
			2,209,480			4,786,900			
Carried over	234,652,400	10,070,638		141,347,100	17,601,800		127,712,900	11,421,800	

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	ACCOUNTS, 1911-1912.			REVISED ESTIMATE, 1912-1913.			BUDGET ESTIMATE, 1913-1914.		
	India.	England.	Total.	India.	England.	Total.	India.	England.	Total.
Expenditure, Imperial and Provincial (from Statement B)	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Added—Provincial Surpluses transferred to "Deposits"	57,968,675	19,957,657	77,926,332	59,176,600	20,408,200	79,584,800	61,529,700	20,381,900	81,910,800
Deduct—Provincial Deficits charged to "Deposits"	1,414,027	...	1,414,027	4,073,900	..	4,073,900	...	...	...
TOTAL	444,943	...	444,943	...	...	...	2,912,600	...	2,912,600
	58,937,759	19,957,657	78,895,415	63,250,500	20,408,200	83,658,700	60,616,900	20,381,900	80,998,800
Railway, Irrigation, and other Capital charged not to Revenue—									
OUTLAY ON IRRIGATION WORKS	1,448,880	87,651	1,536,531	1,408,500	83,300	1,441,800	1,378,500	88,200	1,466,700
OUTLAY ON STATE RAILWAYS	4,840,786	2,140,598	6,981,384	6,440,000	2,502,000	8,942,000	7,003,500	2,509,900	10,113,400
INITIAL EXPENDITURE ON NEW CAPITAL AT DELHI	4,986	6	4,992	104,900	7,000	111,900	1,328,300	5,000	1,333,300
OUTLAY OF RAILWAY COMPANIES—									
Payments for Capital outlay	314,614	678,945	988,559	171,700	1,027,300	1,199,000	227,400	1,822,900	2,050,300
NET			988,559			1,195,000			2,048,300
RAISED AND DEPOSITED BY RAILWAY COMPANIES—									
Payments for discharge of Debentures	...	40,000	40,000	...	160,000	160,000	...	1,415,000	1,415,000
NET			0			0			0
Permanent Debt Discharged—									
sterling Debt—									
Madras Railway Debentures	...	888,700	...	...	249,700	...	...	170,000	...
Indian Midland Do.	...	907,500	...	...	1,227,900	...	...	1,111,200	...
India Bonds	...	500,000	...	...	500,000	...	...	500,000	...
Types Debt—									
4½ p. c. Loans	67	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4 p. c. Loans	80,910	...	...	83,400	...	...	82,400	...	...
3½ p. c. Loans	2004	...	...	100	...	...	100	...	...
3 p. c. Loans	7,886	...	...	2,800	...	...	4,800	...	...
Provincial Debentures	...	...	...	100	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	89,083	2,276,200	2,365,283	83,400	1,977,600	2,039,000	87,300	1,781,200	1,838,500
NET			0			0			0
Temporary Debt Discharged—									
Temporary Loans	...	5,000,000	5,000,000	...	4,500,000	4,500,000	...	...	...
NET			500,000			4,500,000			0
Unfunded Debt—									
Special Loans	269	...	...	200	...	...	200	...	...
Deposits of Service Funds	93,577	...	...	97,700	...	...	93,200	...	...
Savings Bank Deposits	4,931,537	...	...	5,778,200	...	...	6,002,000	...	...
TOTAL	5,025,383	...	5,025,383	5,872,100	...	5,872,100	6,198,400	...	6,098,400
NET			0			0			0
Deposits and Advances—									
Balances of Provincial Allotments	444,943	...	...	...	...	...	2,912,600	...	...
Deposits of Local Funds—									
District Funds	3,593,981	...	...	4,015,800	...	...	3,847,300	...	...
Other Funds	1,121,303	...	...	1,215,200	...	...	1,134,300	...	...
Gold Standard Reserve	...	9,889,183	...	3,265,700	11,432,600	...	...	6,164,500	...
currency Reserve—									
Council Bills appropriated	1,983,333	...	...	...	1,600,000	...	...	...	...
Gold Transferred	...	6,500,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shus invested	...	1,338,333	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Departmental and Judicial Deposits	24,514,739	...	...	26,653,700	...	...	26,133,300	...	...
Advances	10,231,543	73,813	...	5,198,100	180,100	...	4,594,200	25,000	...
Suspense Accounts	111,078	...	...	185,700	...	...	69,800	...	...
Exchange on Remittance account (net)	...	...	...	18,000	...	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous	19,027	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	42,024,977	11,951,353	53,976,330	40,553,800	11,212,700	53,766,500	38,691,500	6,189,500	44,881,000
NET			0			0			3,248,700
Carried over	112,16 28	12,227, 0		117,893,900	43,8 8,100		116,181, 7	34,780,000	

C.—Statement of Receipts and Disbursements of the

	ACCOUNTS, 1911-1912.			REVISED ESTIMATE, 1912-1913.			BUDGET ESTIMATE, 1913-1914.		
	India.	England.	TOTAL.	India.	England.	Total.	India.	England.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Brought forward	134,659,400	19,950,639		141,347,100	17,601,800		127,712,900	11,421,600	
Loans and Advances by Imperial Government	264,742	...	264,742	260,000	...	260,000	199,000	...	199,000
Net			201,914			187,600			13,100
Loans and Advances by Provincial Governments	986,707	...	986,707	1,091,300	...	1,091,300	937,600	...	937,600
Net			0			0			0
Loans to Local Boards for Railway Construction	6,583	...	6,583	6,900	...	6,900	7,100		7,100
Net			6,583			6,900			7,100
Remittances—									
Inland Money Orders	82,427,579	...		83,333,300	...		84,693,400	...	
Other Local Remittances	87,885	...		573,400	...		434,700	...	
Other Departmental Accounts	6,226	...		...	...		...	...
Net Receipts by Civil Treasuries from—									
Post Office	2,168,276	...		2,208,500	...		2,028,300	...	
Railways	12,606,038	...		14,547,300	...		13,704,100	...	
Public Works	8,700	...		...	...		...	...
Net Receipts from Civil Treasuries by—									
Telegraph	733,423	...		733,700	...		718,300	...	
Machine	291,835	...		200,100	...		199,800	...	
Military Works	784,525	...		719,400	...		803,100	...	
Military	13,268,513	...		13,146,600	...		13,017,800	...	
Remittance Account between England and India—									
Purchase of Silver	...	...		7,060,000	...		...	...
Remittance of gold from India	...	...		...	327,800		...	450,000	
Railway transactions	2,195,707	7,655		8,500,000	24,600		4,914,900	504,800	
Other	903,598	1,253,414		2,559,900	1,549,800		771,800	1,380,000	
TOTAL	65,436,355	1,261,039	66,697,424	78,692,500	1,902,300	80,594,800	71,285,700	2,344,800	73,630,500
Net			49,524			161,600			0
Secretary of State's Bills drawn	...	25,070,216	25,070,216	...	25,600,000	25,660,000	...	21,650,000	21,650,000
TOTAL RECEIPTS	201,353,847	46,281,923		221,397,800	45,164,100		200,142,300	35,416,400	
Opening Balance	13,566,922	(a) 18,174,349		12,279,689	(b) 19,433,723		19,543,889	(c) 9,377,923	
GRAND TOTAL	214,920,769	64,456,272		233,677,489	64,627,823		219,686,189	44,794,323	

(a) Of this account £1,477,358 represents the funds of the Gold Standard Reserve.
(c) " " £1,005,000 " " " "

DELHI,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
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Government of India, in India and England—continued.

	ACCOUNTS, 1911-1912.			REVISED ESTIMATE, 1912-1913.			BUDGET ESTIMATE, 1913-1914.		
	India.	England.	Total.	India.	England.	Total.	India.	England.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Brought forward	112,686,418	42,127,410		117,886,900	43,828,100		116,031,800	34,193,000	
Loans and Advances by Imperial Government	62,828	...	62,828	72,400	...	72,400	185,900	...	185,900
NET			0			0			0
Loans and Advances by Provincial Governments	1,179,863	...	1,179,863	1,288,200	...	1,288,200	1,063,500	...	1,063,500
NET			193,155			196,900			125,900
Remittances—									
Inland Money Orders	32,398,535	...		33,333,300	...		34,666,700	...	
Other Local Remittances	...	...		441,000	...		568,000	...	
Other Departmental Accounts	127	...		...	...		...	...
Net payments into Civil Treasuries by—									
Post Office	2,158,879	...		2,208,500	...		2,028,300	...	
Railways	12,764,524	...		14,547,300	...		13,704,100	...	
Net issues from Civil Treasuries to—									
Telegraph	740,023	...		733,700	...		718,300	...	
Marine	292,951	...		260,100	...		199,000	...	
Military Works	749,145	...		719,400	...		803,100	...	
Military	13,268,720	...		13,146,600	...		13,017,800	...	
Remittance Account between England and India—									
Purchase of silver	...	...		...	7,060,000		...	...
Remittance of gold to England	...	...		327,900	...		450,000	...	
Railway transactions	2,914	2,260,448		24,600	3,550,300		504,800	4,914,900	
Other	1,436,921	604,691		3,269,600	811,500		1,517,900	575,400	
TOTAL	63,782,701	2,835,139	66,647,900	69,011,400	11,421,800	80,433,200	68,208,300	5,490,300	73,698,600
NET			0			0			63,100
Secretary of State's Bills paid	24,929,181	...	24,929,181	25,874,700	...	25,874,700	21,650,000	...	21,650,000
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	202,641,080	44,992,549		214,133,600	55,249,900		207,139,500	39,683,900	
Closing Balance	12,279,680	19,433,723 ^(b)		19,548,889	9,377,923 ^(c)		12,546,089	3,111,023 ^(d)	
GRAND TOTAL	214,920,769	64,458,272		233,677,489	64,627,823		219,686,189	44,794,923	

(b) Of this amount £1,073,710 represents the funds of the Gold Standard Reserve
 (d) " £1,018,600 " " " " " "

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D.—Account of Provincial Savings charged to Revenue, and held at the disposal of Provincial Governments under their Provincial Settlements.

Provincial Balances.

	Central Provin- ces and Berar.	Burma.	Eastern Bengal and Assam.	Bengal.	United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	Punjab.	Madras.	Bombay.	TOTAL.	Equiva- lent in Rs.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Accounts, 1911-1912.										
Balance at end of 1910-1911	27,72,214	54,08,035	72,89,698	1,30,78,285	83,90,485	69,74,978	1,55,90,102	1,68,03,351	7,61,10,158	5,07,11,000
Added in 1911-1912	12,14,573	...	52,18,802	82,93,235	1,44,240	33,98,055	29,38,502	...	2,12,10,407	1,41,00,000
Spent in 1911-1912 . . . . .	...	12,60,040	...	...	...	...	...	54,14,118	66,74,153	44,00,000
Balance at end of 1911-1912	39,86,787	41,48,025	1,25,08,500	2,13,74,500	88,34,725	1,03,73,033	1,85,28,604	1,08,92,238	9,03,46,412	6,04,11,000
Revised Estimate, 1912-1913.										
			Assam.	New Bengal.	Bihar and Orissa.					
Balance at end of 1911-1912	39,86,787	41,48,025	41,93,000	1,66,25,000	1,30,62,000	88,34,725	1,03,73,033	1,85,28,604	1,08,92,238	9,03,46,412
Added in 1912-1913	44,97,000	75,37,000	37,55,000	1,16,98,000	65,69,000	83,36,000	43,76,000	59,13,000	6,11,09,000	4,07,00,000
Spent in 1912-1913 . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Balance at end of 1912-1913	84,83,787	1,16,85,025	79,51,000	2,83,23,000	1,96,31,000	1,69,62,725	1,00,09,033	2,29,04,604	1,68,05,238	15,17,55,412
Budget Estimate, 1913-1914.										
Balance at end of 1912-1913	84,83,787	1,16,85,025	79,51,000	2,83,23,000	1,96,31,000	1,69,62,725	1,00,09,033	2,29,04,604	1,68,05,238	15,17,55,412
Added in 1913-1914 . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Spent in 1913-1914	8,68,000	58,54,000	19,94,000	89,53,000	46,09,000	33,48,000	43,87,000	80,21,000	51,55,000	4,36,89,000
Balance at end of 1913-1914	76,15,787	58,31,025	59,57,000	1,93,70,000	1,50,22,000	1,31,14,725	1,46,22,033	1,48,88,604	1,16,50,238	10,80,66,412

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March 20th, 1913.

E.—Abstract Statement of the Receipts and Disbursements of the Government of India, in India and in England.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.		ACCOUNTS, 1911-1912.					REVISED ESTI-MATE, 1912-1913.		BUDGET ESTI-MATE, 1913-1914.	
		Revenue.	EXPENDITURE.		Net Receipts.	Net Charges.	Net Receipts.	Net Charges.	Net Receipts.	Net Charges.
			Refunds and Assignments.	Cost of Collection and Production.						
Revenue Heads.		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
General Revenue.	Land Revenue (excluding that due to Irrigation)	20,764,097	764,370	3,789,454	16,213,873		16,647,100		16,584,000	
	Opium	5,961,278	3,614	729,452	5,228,212		4,503,500		306,000	
	Salt	3,391,212	254,476	368,490	2,778,246		2,701,100		2,768,000	
	Stamps	4,815,129	55,595	134,190	4,625,344		4,882,600		4,999,200	
	Excise	7,609,753	76,873	419,253	7,113,627		7,669,800		7,913,400	
	Provincial Rates	548,680	680	5,095	542,405		550,000		27,900	
	Customs	6,485,567	181,837	250,713	6,036,017		6,597,400		6,445,600	
	Assessed Taxes	1,652,978	10,827	28,278	1,613,773		1,687,500		1,710,300	
	Forest	1,952,179	6,537	1,142,202	803,440		898,600		1,997,700	
	Registration	445,862	1,124	248,253	19,482		201,800		238,100	
	Tributes	555,005	201,358	...	393,647		398,100		410,300	
	TOTAL	54,205,240	1,557,191	7,112,983	45,535,066		46,767,500		42,213,500	
	Total deduction from Revenue			8,670,174						
Expenditure Heads.										
Services.	Interest	1,448,741	2,037,785			588,994		344,000		22,700
	Post office	2,134,279	2,003,470		125,809		223,100		303,600	
	Telegraph	1,087,425	1,093,934			6,509	20,900			39,200
	Railways	15,891,725	12,103,955		3,787,770		5,516,100		4,552,300	
	Irrigation	3,980,052	3,174,883		805,169		1,071,700		839,300	
	Civil Works, etc.	326,924	5,454,048			5,127,124	389,700	5,898,200	136,900	6,297,900
	Mint	367,100	116,507		250,593					
	Civil Departments	1,288,131	16,436,166			15,228,035		15,416,500		18,127,800
	Superannuation	201,470	3,167,420			2,965,950		3,077,100		3,124,400
	Exchange	105,097	...		105,097		109,300		33,300	
	Miscellaneous	409,018	388,909		20,109		86,800		190,500	
	Other heads	93,891	1,322,494			1,225,603		1,222,700		1,216,200
	Relief { Famine Relief . . . . .	...	114,293		114,293		195,200		37,600	
	Insurance { Other heads . . . . .	...	88,707		885,707		804,700		953,400	
Military Services.	Army { Effective	1,061,030	16,332,932		15,271,932		15,010,000		15,235,900	
	Non-effective	118,336	3,203,584		3,085,248		3,121,000		3,133,900	
	Marine	84,900	450,728		365,828		369,000		380,000	
	Military works	78,791	909,57		830,838		807,300		873,100	
	Special Defences (1902) . . . . .	...	4,703		4,703		15,900		24,500	
	TOTAL	32,835,750	77,926,332		4,909,418		7,467,600		2,912,600	
	Surplus		969,084							
	Deficit . . . . .		...					
	TOTAL	32,835,750	78,895,416		3,940,334		3,393,700		1,326,300	
Financial Account.	Surplus				3,940,334		3,393,700		1,326,300	
	Railway and Irrigation Capital not charged to Revenue:—									
	Capital raised and deposited by Railway Companies (net)			17,497			585,600		3,160,900	
	Outlay on Irrigation Works				1,536,531		1,441,800		1,436,700	
	Outlay on State Railways				6,981,784		8,942,000		10,113,400	
	Initial outlay on new Capital at Delhi				4,992		111,900		1,338,300	
	Outlay of Railway Companies (net)				986,530		1,195,000		2,048,800	
	Permanent Debt (net)			1,823,173		2,937,000		131,600		
	Temporary Debt (net)				500,000		4,500,000		1,501,400	
	Unfunded Debt (net)			1,815,193		1,741,400		13,100		
	Loans and Advances by Imperial Government (net)			201,914		187,900			125,900	
	Loans and Advances by Provincial Governments (net)				193,155		196,900		7,100	
	Loans to Local Boards for Railway Construction (net)			6,783		6,900			2,248,700	
	Deposits and Advances (net)			2,209,480		4,786,900				
Deposits, Advances, and Disbursements.	Remittances (net)			40,524		161,600			68,100	
	Secretary of State's Bills drawn (net)			25,070,216		25,630,000		21,060,000	21,650,000	
	Secretary of State's Bills paid (net)				24,929,181		25,874,700			
	TOTAL	35,133,914	35,181,773		39,440,700		42,202,300		27,790,300	39,054,400
	Opening Balance (net)			31,741,271		31,743,412		28,921,812		17,657,712
	Closing Balance (net)									
	TOTAL	66,875,185	66,875,185		71,184,112		71,184,112		56,712,112	56,712,112

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March 20th, 1913.

D

MEMORANDUM EXPLAINING THE DETAILS OF THE ESTIMATES.

1. In this memorandum the variations between the Budget and the Revised *Introductory.* estimates of the current year, and between the latter and the Budget estimates of next year, are explained in detail for the major heads of account. Under most of the heads details by provinces have been given, and it may be explained that the figures shown against "India General" represent the transactions of the Central Government, including all expenditure directly controlled by it, of the minor administrations of Ajmer-Merwara and Coorg, and of the convict settlement in the Andamans. The Budget estimates of Provincial and "Divided" expenditure in 1913-14 generally represent the allotments proposed by the several Governments and Administrations with whom regular provincial settlements have been concluded and in the case of provinces having local Legislative Councils more detailed information regarding the figures will be found in the Financial Statements presented by the Local Governments to their respective Councils.

2. The figures for the newly created province of Delhi have been entered separately and explained under each major head of account. It may be stated however at the outset that while the Revised estimates for 1912-13 under each head represent the probable receipts and outlay in six months of the current year, the Budget makes full provision for the revenue and the charges of a whole year; and that where the difference between the two sets of figures arises solely from this cause, no explanation of the variation has been given in this memorandum.

3. It is also necessary to explain at this stage that the figures entered against Delhi in this memorandum represent only the revenue and expenditure of the Delhi administration and do not by themselves indicate the cost of change of the Imperial Capital. In order to ensure that, although brought into account under varying heads, expenditure connected with Delhi shall not be lost sight of, instructions have already been issued for the record of all such outlay under special descriptive sub-heads which have been opened in our accounts. Thus, the whole of the expenditure on the Delhi Project proper chargeable to capital will be shown under the new capital head "51" opened for this purpose. Charges connected with the construction of Temporary Delhi will be shown under a special descriptive sub-head under the major head "45—Civil Works—Imperial." Similarly, expenditure on the new cantonment will be shown under a specific descriptive head in the Military section of the accounts. Lastly, charges connected with the administration of the Delhi province will be brought together in a special Appendix to the Civil Estimates under the appropriate service heads, and in this will also be included expenditure from special sanitary or other grants for such objects as water supply, town improvements, preservation of antiquities, medical relief, etc. *Treatment of cost of Imperial Delhi.*

In order to present in one view not only the gross expenditure arising from the change of Capital, but also the very substantial sums which will from time to time come to be taken by way of set-off, it has been decided to maintain a special *pro forma* statement with effect from 1912-13. The general form of the statement will be somewhat as shown in the appendix to this memorandum; but modifications in the detailed heads may have to be made as advised from time to time by the Comptroller General. It will not, however, be possible to present these figures until the accounts of 1912-13 are made up, and for the present it has been thought sufficient to compile a statement of the gross expenditure only arising out of the change of Capital which is included in the

accounts of 1911-12, the Revised estimate of 1912-13 and the Budget estimate of 1913-14. The figures are given below in lakhs of rupees :—

	1911-12, Accounts.	1912-13, Revised.	1913-14, Budget.
I.—Capital expenditure :—			
Initial outlay on Permanent Delhi (<i>vide</i> paragraphs 235 and 236)	75	16.78	200.00
II.—Revenue expenditure :—			
(a) Administration of Delhi Province (as recorded under the various heads of account in this memorandum) . . . . .	...	17.74	20.47
(b) Construction and maintenance of temporary works at Delhi for the accommodation of the Government of India (<i>vide</i> paragraphs 191 and 192)	8.61	47.00	8.25
(c) Cost of new Cantonment (<i>vide</i> paragraphs 214 and 224) . . . . .	...	11	16.00
(d) Expenditure on provision of postal and telegraphic facilities including cost of new buildings . . . . .	...	3.01	.85
(e) Maintenance of Viceregal residence at Delhi . . . . .	...	...	1.59
(f) Cost of permanently moving Imperial offices (<i>viz.</i> , a section of the Government Press and the Office of the Comptroller General) from Calcutta or elsewhere to Delhi . . . . .	...	1.15	.49
(g) Other indirect expenditure incurred mostly in the Secretariats owing to employment of special staff in connection with work arising from the change of Capital, grant of special concessions to camp offices brought to Delhi, etc. . . . .	...	1.02	.37
	8.61	70.93	48.02

The whole of the capital outlay undoubtedly represents additional expenditure which would have been avoided but for the change of Capital. Of the charges recorded in the revenue account, the whole of item (b) must for the present fall under this class, though there will be small counterbalancing receipts in the shape of rents of the residential buildings, and a substantial portion of the outlay will in all probability be recouped when the temporary buildings are no longer required. Item (c) also represents mostly extra expenditure. But the same can hardly be said of the other items given above. The expenditure shown against items (f) and (g) will probably be more than counterbalanced by the savings accruing from the shorter move of the Government of India to Delhi. The whole of the outlay shown against items (d) and (e) is being met from ordinary Imperial grants; and all that has happened is that money is being now spent at Delhi which would have been spent elsewhere for the same purpose if the change of Capital had not been made, or else that being the Imperial Capital, Delhi is now receiving a larger share of the money than it used to get. Lastly, a good portion of the expenditure shown against item (a) represents the cost of the ordinary civil administration of the territory which used to be met by the Government of the Punjab before Delhi became the Imperial Capital; and the only effect of the change has been to transfer all such ordinary expenditure from the Provincial to the Imperial section of the accounts. But the revenue of the tract has also been so transferred, resulting in a gain to the Imperial Government of about R3½ lakhs in 1912-13, and R7 lakhs in 1913-14; and it may also be necessary to make a reduction in the present assignment of Imperial land revenue received by the Punjab

if a detailed examination of the accounts indicates that the Provincial expenditure in the tract prior to its transfer to Imperial control exceeded the Provincial revenue derived from it, though pending such examination no such reduction has been entered in the estimates. A small portion of the expenditure, about Rupees one lakh a year, also represents the cost of certain wholly Imperial Services, *e.g.*, Ecclesiastical, which has been merely transferred from the books of the Punjab to those of the new province; while a further portion of it representing special outlay on sanitation, etc., is being actually met, or, but for the change, would have been met from special Imperial grants.

4. The broad totals of revenue and expenditure for the last year, the current year and the ensuing year are as follows:—

		Accounts. 1911-1912.
		£
Revenue		82,835,750
Expenditure charged to Revenue		78,895,416
Surplus		£ 3,940,334
		Revised, 1912-1913.
		£
Revenue		87,052,400
Expenditure charged to Revenue		83,658,700
Surplus		£ 3,393,700
		Budget, 1913-1914.
		£
Revenue		82,324,500
Expenditure charged to Revenue		80,998,200
Surplus		£ 1,326,300

These figures exclude all capital, debt and remittance transactions.

5. The accounts of 1911-12 are not discussed in this memorandum, but according to our usual practice in the past a brief explanation is given below of the principal divergences between the Revised estimates of revenue and expenditure as submitted to the Council twelve months ago, and the actual accounts of the year as closed, audited and compiled by the Comptroller and Auditor General. Accounts, 1911-12.

6. The total revenue turned out about £796,900 more and the total expenditure about £50,400 less than the Revised estimate, with the result that the surplus was £847,300 larger than was anticipated. To this improvement, the net earnings of Railways contributed no less than £606,500. There was an increase of £425,600 in the gross receipts, the growth of traffic in March 1912, on the North-Western, the Bombay Baroda and Central India, and a few other lines having far exceeded expectation; while there was a net saving of £180,900 distributed among a number of lines, in the provision for working expenses and payment of surplus profits to companies. Eliminating the Provincial figures, the balance of the improvement in the surplus, *viz.*, £240,800, occurred chiefly under the following heads. There was an increase of £56,600 in the Opium revenue owing to a rise in the auction price at the sales of Malwa opium in March 1912. Increases of smaller magnitude were also realised under some of the other heads of revenue; but these were more than counterbalanced by a decrease of £100,000 under Customs, distributed among a number of tariff heads. The net Military expenditure was less than the Revised estimate by

£70,100 mainly in consequence of a smaller expenditure on the purchase of stores in England and in connection with the Royal Visit in India, and there were savings of £58,900 and £53,200 respectively in the miscellaneous charges of Railways and in the expenditure of Civil Departments. Smaller lapses also occurred under a number of other heads, but they were nearly counterbalanced by an increase of £82,000 under Civil Works. Of the latter sum £57,400 (Rs 61 lakhs) represents expenditure on Temporary Delhi and was incurred mainly in taking over the electric installations, etc., erected, and certain articles of furniture purchased, in connection with the Coronation Durbar.

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I AND 3.—LAND REVENUE.

REVENUE.

(Including the portion due to Irrigation.)

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	8,81,223	8,08,539	7,11,075	7,17,000	7,59,000	7,48,000
2. Delhi . . .	...	...	...	...	2,09,000	3,84,000
3. Baluchistan . . .	10,02,440	8,91,261	9,51,489	9,08,000	9,15,000	9,25,000
4. North-West Frontier . . .	23,30,699	21,79,157	21,48,813	21,83,000	21,83,000	22,13,000
5. Other Provinces . . .	10,43,159	11,46,179	7,03,376	16,92,000	14,98,000	18,20,000
Total . . .	52,57,521	50,25,136	45,17,738	54,95,000	55,64,000	61,42,000
<i>Divided and Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces . . .	1,87,74,671	1,81,31,128	1,85,87,880	1,87,80,000	1,80,85,000	1,83,50,000
2. Burma . . .	4,20,29,468	4,06,18,783	4,18,73,511	4,27,82,000	4,42,60,000	4,30,98,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	76,93,000	78,00,000	77,00,000
4. Bengal (now) . . .	...	...	...	2,69,88,000	2,74,66,000	2,72,66,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	1,51,97,000	1,50,00,000	1,51,19,000
6. United Provinces . . .	6,98,61,785	6,74,96,264	6,60,96,192	6,70,65,000	6,67,97,000	6,62,98,000
7. Punjab . . .	3,13,87,524	2,97,80,632	3,47,90,786	3,52,82,000	3,89,32,000	3,20,20,000
8. Madras . . .	6,49,15,197	6,61,22,570	6,70,9,897	6,83,93,000	6,88,69,000	6,90,70,000
9. Bombay . . .	5,48,03,513	5,42,16,103	4,94,05,849	5,22,48,000	4,96,42,000	5,41,39,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	2,01,21,586	2,01,84,470	2,03,12,957	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	2,95,91,736	2,92,57,800	2,91,38,198	...	...	...
Total . . .	33,14,85,420	32,58,07,750	32,72,24,650	33,44,08,000	33,69,11,000	33,74,02,000
TOTAL REVENUE R . . .	33,67,42,941	33,08,32,886	33,17,42,433	33,99,08,000	34,24,75,000	34,35,44,000
Shown under I.—Land Revenue R . . .	31,99,62,121	31,31,62,808	31,14,70,456	31,91,89,000	31,96,85,000	32,05,98,000
Shown under XXIX.—Irrigation R . . .	1,67,60,820	1,76,70,078	2,02,71,977	2,07,64,000	2,25,90,000	2,29,46,000
Equivalent of total Revenue in Sterling £ . . .	22,449,529	22,055,526	22,116,162	22,660,300	22,831,700	22,902,900
Shown under I. Land Revenue £ . . .	21,332,141	20,877,521	20,764,697	21,276,000	21,325,700	21,373,200
Shown under XXIX.—Irrigation £ . . .	1,117,388	1,178,005	1,351,465	1,384,300	1,506,000	1,529,700

EXPENDITURE.

<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	4,93,158	4,48,303	4,02,758	3,98,000	3,96,000	3,96,000
2. Delhi . . .	...	...	...	...	56,000	1,00,000
3. Baluchistan . . .	2,16,185	2,21,950	2,39,346	2,35,000	2,40,000	2,33,000
4. North-West Frontier . . .	5,87,200	5,88,174	6,03,664	6,85,000	6,15,000	6,74,000
5. Other Provinces . . .	26,21,903	27,93,330	26,72,719	29,50,000	28,12,000	33,00,000
Total . . .	39,18,506	40,51,757	39,18,487	42,68,000	41,19,000	47,03,000
<i>Divided and Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces . . .	38,16,403	39,07,049	39,07,629	39,04,000	39,00,000	40,00,000
2. Burma . . .	66,35,721	65,12,019	63,23,955	69,17,000	69,91,000	69,79,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	14,27,000	14,57,000	15,18,000
4. Bengal (now) . . .	...	...	...	33,50,000	33,63,000	33,48,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	25,80,000	25,00,000	25,39,000
6. United Provinces . . .	33,67,891	33,90,829	36,42,061	38,60,000	37,68,000	35,58,000
7. Punjab . . .	47,85,927	46,80,491	48,02,974	50,31,000	47,39,000	47,88,000
8. Madras . . .	1,24,04,006	1,27,50,336	1,29,37,965	1,45,67,000	1,42,95,000	1,46,51,000
9. Bombay . . .	80,21,443	78,67,486	82,72,746	86,04,000	85,21,000	82,95,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	30,68,240	30,51,163	33,30,750	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	37,24,433	36,96,519	41,29,707	...	...	...
Total . . .	5,08,24,159	5,08,55,892	5,28,47,787	5,52,40,000	5,45,34,000	5,56,71,000
TOTAL INDIA R . . .	5,47,42,865	5,49,07,649	5,67,66,274	5,95,08,000	5,86,53,000	6,03,74,000
Equivalent in Sterling £ . . .	3,649,511	3,660,510	3,784,418	3,967,200	3,910,200	4,024,900
England . . .	568	1,916	2,036	1,000	2,000	1,300
TOTAL EXPENDITURE £ . . .	3,650,079	3,662,426	3,786,454	3,968,200	3,912,200	4,026,200

Statement showing the distribution between Imperial and Provincial of the Land Revenue shown in the preceding table under 1912-13 and 1913-14.

	1912-13.		Budget, 1913-1914.
	Budget.	Revised.	
1. Total divided revenue	31,72,05,000	31,94,88,000	32,01,78,000
<i>Imperial.</i>			
2. Imperial share according to the terms of the provincial settlements	16,15,03,000	16,24,19,000	16,28,53,000
3. <i>Deduct:—</i>			
(a) Fixed recurring assignments from Imperial to Provincial under the terms of the provincial settlements, including permanent additions subsequently made to them	61,15,000	72,05,000	2,48,15,000
(b) Assignments in connection with the scheme for the incidence of famine relief expenditure (<i>vide</i> para. 54 of Financial Statement for 1907-1908)	37,50,000	37,50,000	37,50,000
(c) Non-recurring grants:—			
(i) under the terms of the provincial settlements	15,67,000	5,98,000	3,26,000
(ii) in aid of outlay on the improvement of education treated as a special appropriation from the opium revenue of the year . . . . .	...	69,00,000	...
(iii) in aid of outlay on the improvement of education, sanitation, medical relief, agriculture and other beneficial services . . . . .	...	4,62,70,000	15,35,000
(iv) in aid of development of communications, etc., in Burma and Assam . . . . .	...	50,00,000	...
(v) in aid of provincial resources generally . . . . .	...	1,00,00,000	...
(vi) other items	2,06,000	16,65,000	12,34,000
Total assignments	1,16,38,000	8,13,88,000	3,11,60,000
4. Net Imperial share of divided revenue	14,98,65,000	8,10,31,000	13,16,93,000
5. <i>Add—</i> Wholly Imperial Revenue	54,95,000	55,64,000	61,42,000
TOTAL	15,53,60,000	8,65,95,000	13,78,35,000
Shown under I.—Land Revenue	14,40,38,000	7,43,43,000	12,58,99,000
" " XXIX.—Irrigation	1,13,22,000	1,22,52,000	1,24,36,000
<i>Provincial.</i>			
1 Share of divided revenue (including assignments from Imperial)	16,73,40,000	23,84,57,000	18,84,85,000
2. Wholly Provincial Revenue	1,72,03,000	1,74,23,000	1,72,24,000
TOTAL	18,45,43,000	25,58,80,000	20,57,09,000
Shown under I.—Land Revenue	17,51,01,000	24,55,42,000	19,51,99,000
" " XXIX.—Irrigation	94,42,000	1,03,38,000	1,05,10,000

8. The Imperial expenditure shown against "Other Provinces" in the table at page 23 represents the cost of survey and record-of-right operations on a large scale in Bengal and in Bihar and Orissa, undertaken more for administrative than for fiscal purposes. The expenditure is of a temporary and varying character and was accordingly not considered suitable for inclusion in the financial settlements with the two provinces. Three-fourths of the charges are eventually recovered from landlords and tenants for the protection of whose rights the operations are primarily undertaken; and the recoveries are shown in the table as Imperial revenue against "Other Provinces."

REVENUE.

(a) Wholly Imperial.

9. Excluding the Delhi figures, the Revised estimate for 1912-13 is less than the Budget by R1.40 lakhs while the Budget for 1913-14 is R4.03 lakhs more than the Revised estimate for 1912-13. Both these variations are caused mainly by a postponement of the recovery in the current year of certain survey and settlement charges in Bengal and Bihar and Orissa, and by provision for the recovery of these arrears in 1913-14.

(b) Divided and Wholly Provincial.

10. The total collections in 1912-13 are likely to exceed the Budget estimate by R25.03 lakhs. A large improvement of R36.50 lakhs is anticipated in the Punjab in spite of the loss of the Delhi revenue, owing to higher receipts from the sale of proprietary rights in the canal colonies and the revision of assessments in the Chenab colony. Important increases will also take place in Burma (R14.78 lakhs) where the outturn of the year's crops is much above the average; in Bengal (R4.78 lakhs) where, owing to the territorial re-arrangement, the Budget was based on data which were more or less uncertain, while the Revised includes certain special receipts; and in Madras (R4.76 lakhs) mainly in consequence of the postponement of certain collections which were expected to be realised in 1911-12 at the time when the Budget for the current year was framed. In Assam also there will be an improvement of R1.07 lakhs owing to a larger recovery of arrears; but in the other provinces the collections will fall short of the Budget estimate. There will be a considerable deficiency of R26.06 lakhs in Bombay due to the unfavourable agricultural conditions prevailing in certain parts of the Presidency; and important shortages of R6.75 lakhs and R2.68 lakhs are also expected in the Central and the United Provinces respectively, owing to larger suspensions and postponement of collections in certain districts necessitated by an indifferent monsoon.

11. The total Budget for 1913-14 is R4.91 lakhs more than the Revised estimate for the current year. An increase of R44.97 lakhs is expected in Bombay where provision has been made for the collection of a portion of the suspended revenue of the current year in addition to the normal demand for 1913-14. Important increases over the Revised estimate of the current year are also assumed in Madras (R8.01 lakhs) and in the Central Provinces (R7.65 lakhs) owing to normal growth in the revenue demand and to the recovery of arrears in the latter province. Provision for normal growth of the revenue demand has been made generally in the other provinces also. But the total collections in 1913-14 are expected to fall short of those in the current year in the Punjab (R36.70 lakhs) in consequence of smaller receipts from the sale of proprietary rights in the canal colonies; in Burma (R11.62 lakhs) where the estimates have been based on a normal outturn of next year's crops, while allowance has been made for a decrease in the petroleum revenue consequent on an expected falling-off in production in the Yenang-yaung oil-field; in the United Provinces (R4.99 lakhs) due to smaller recovery of revenue suspended in previous years, the outstanding amount of which will be considerably reduced by the end of the current year; and in Bengal (R2.00 lakhs) and in Assam (R1 lakh) owing to the absence of certain special receipts which have swelled the revenue in 1912-13.

(c) *Adjustments between Imperial and Provincial.*

12. The table at page 24 shows the amount of Imperial Land Revenue assigned for Provincial expenditure in the two years. The variations between the Budget and Revised estimates of the current year and between the latter and the Budget estimate for 1913-14 are explained below.

(1) *Recurring assignments.*Revised, 1912-13.

13. The bulk of the increase of ₹10,90,000 in the Revised estimate over the Budget of the current year is contributed by the following three items, the balance consisting of petty corrections and re-adjustments:—

	Lakhs of rupees.
(1) Additional grants for educational reforms out of the reserve provision made in the current year's Budget under the head "22.—Education"	10.26
(2) Grants for the improvement of sanitary services out of the lump provision made for the purpose in the current year's Budget under the head "24.—Medical"	1.89
(3) Saving in the compensatory grant given to Madras in connection with the remission of the Proprietary Estates village service cess	—2.63
	<hr/> 10.22 <hr/>

Budget, 1913-14.

14. The increase of ₹1,71.10 lakhs in the Budget provision for next year over the Revised estimate of 1912-13 is made up as follows:—

	Lakhs of rupees
(1) Compensatory assignments to the Governments of Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, United Provinces and the Punjab to enable them to forego the appropriations which are now made from the cess on land to meet expenditure which should be defrayed properly from Provincial revenues:—	
Bengal	24.93
Bihar and Orissa	22.92
United Provinces	29.53
Punjab	2.08
TOTAL	<hr/> 79.46 <hr/>
(2) Additional recurring grants for the advancement of education	45.35
(3) Additional recurring grants for the development of sanitation	36.50
(4) Recurring grant to Assam for the proper administration of remote tracts on the north-east frontier	3.93
(5) Increase in compensatory assignment to Madras in connection with remission of village service cess in proprietary estates	2.43
(6) Additional recurring grants for the improvement of sanitary services . . . . .	.76
	<hr/> 1,71.43 <hr/>
(7) Deduct—Petty adjustments of a recurring character . . . . .	.33
TOTAL	<hr/> ₹ 1,71.10 <hr/>

15. The fourth of these grants is intended to compensate the Government of Assam for political and police expenditure which it will have to incur in connection with the outlying territories on the north-east frontier, but for which no provision was made in its provincial settlement. The fifth grant is a necessary concomitant of the progress of resumption of *inam* lands of village servants—see paragraph 12 of last year's explanatory memorandum.

The sixth grant is an addition to the similar grant of R1 89 lakhs made in the current year, the object of the aggregate grant of R2 65 lakhs being to assist Local Governments in employing additional Deputy Sanitary Commissioners and municipalities in organising an efficient staff of health officers and sanitary inspectors. All the major provinces participate in the grant with the exception of Assam and the Central Provinces from which no schemes on the subject have yet been received.

16. In connection with the grants falling within the first of the categories mentioned above, it may be explained that certain appropriations have hitherto been made in some of the provinces, in aid of expenditure which is properly chargeable to Provincial revenues, from the proceeds of the land cess which is wholly applied elsewhere to finance rural boards. Thus in Bengal and in Bihar and Orissa, a moiety of the land cess—known as the public works cess—forms an item of Provincial revenue; in Agra about one-third of the land cess is appropriated by the Provincial Government to meet the cost of the rural police; and in the Punjab the district boards have to make over to the Provincial Government about one-fifth of the land cess as a contribution for general services. The arrangement has naturally resulted in a severe restriction of the activities of the rural boards in these provinces; and the Royal Commission on Decentralisation recommended in paragraph 773(i) of their report, that the resources of rural boards should be augmented by the surrender of these appropriations. It is proposed to accept the recommendation; and provision has accordingly been made in next year's Budget for the subventions required to compensate the four Provincial Governments for the loss of revenue entailed by the change. In calculating this loss due allowance has been made for the resumption of certain grants now made to the rural boards by the Provincial Governments. In the United Provinces a necessary corollary of the measure will be the abolition of the separate police rate in Oudh, the cost of the rural police becoming an item of Provincial expenditure, while advantage will be taken of the change to introduce another desirable reform, *viz.*, the substitution of cash-paid *chaukidars* in Gorakhpur for village watchmen who are paid by grants of land and whose *jagirs* will be resumed; and an addition has been made to the compensatory assignment to cover the fresh burden thrown on Provincial revenues. The figures given below show how the assignments to the four provinces have been worked out on the basis of the average actuals for the last three years:—

	(In lakhs of rupees).			
	Bengal.	Bihar and Orissa.	United Provinces.	Punjab.
Net amount of appropriation surrendered	29.42	24.52	22.19	3.82
Add—Cost of rural police in Oudh and <i>chaukidars</i> in Gorakhpur	...	...	11.02	...
	29.42	24.52	33.21	3.82
Deduct—Amount of contributions to rural boards to be resumed	4.49	1.60	3.54	1.74
Deduct—Provincial share of land revenue from resumed <i>jagirs</i> in Gorakhpur . . .	...	...	.14	...
Amount of assignment . . .	24.93	22.92	29.53	2.08

In the North-West Frontier Province also, the system of levying contributions from district boards for general services will be discontinued, a reduction being made in the grants received by the boards from Provincial revenues. The net loss of revenue in this province will amount to 22 lakh; and setting against this the Imperial share of the gain in land revenue in the United Provinces from the resumed *jagirs* the total cost of the measure will amount to R79.46 lakhs.

17. The following table gives the distribution among the different provinces of the recurring grants of R48·85 lakhs and R36·50 lakhs respectively for the promotion of education and the improvement of sanitation.

[Lakhs of Rupees.]

Province.	Grants for Sanitation.	Grants for Education.	Total Imperial grants for Educa- tion provided in the Budget for 1913-14.
1	2	3	4
	R	R	R
1. Central Provinces	3·00	2·50	5·54
2. Burma	3·00	3·07	6·07
3. Assam	·50	1·77	3·63
4. Bengal	5·00	13·20	25·45
5. Bihar and Orissa	3·00	5·23	10·53
6. United Provinces	6·00	6·38	14·63
7. Punjab	4·00	3·38	7·98
8. Madras	6·00	6·80	16·80
9. Bombay	6·00	5·93	13·68
Total	36·50	48·85	104·81

18. The subvention of R36·50 lakhs for sanitary expenditure represents the share assigned to the Governments of the nine major provinces, of the annual appropriation of R45 lakhs which it has been decided to make from Imperial revenues in aid of outlay on the improvement of sanitation. R5 lakhs out of this appropriation has been reserved for research for which there is a vast field in India, and the balance of R40 lakhs is intended to provide for urgent sanitary needs in cities. Out of the latter sum, R36·50 lakhs have been allotted to the major provinces, R1·50 lakhs to the minor administrations, and R2 lakhs kept in reserve for future distribution. The allotments to provinces have been made with reference to figures of urban population modified where necessary in accordance with lists of schemes ready and waiting for funds in each province.

19. The recurring assignments for education will be in addition to the similar grants made for this purpose from Imperial revenues in 1912-13, and the total provision in next year's Budget for special Imperial subventions to Provincial Governments in aid of educational expenditure will stand at R104·31 lakhs as shown in column 4 of the table in paragraph 17. Adding to this sum R3·69 lakhs allotted to meet the educational needs of the minor administrations and R7 lakhs held in reserve for future distribution, the special appropriation from Imperial revenues for outlay on the advancement of education will amount to R115 lakhs in 1913-14, or R55 lakhs more than the similar appropriation made in the current year. The distribution of this additional sum among the provinces has been made generally with reference to population, the demand for education and the expressed needs of Local Governments.

(2) *Non-recurring assignments.*

(i) *Grants for education, sanitation and other beneficial services.*

Revised, 1912-13.

20. In the Budget estimate for the current year provision was made for a non-recurring appropriation of R65 lakhs from Imperial revenues for capital outlay on the promotion of education. Of this amount R62·50 lakhs have been allotted during the course of the year to the Provincial Governments to enable them to meet the requirements of universities and of certain special institutions, and the pressing demands for hostels; and the balance of R2·50 lakhs

has been utilised for similar purposes in the minor administrations. A small sum of R 20 lakh out of the portion of the current year's recurring grant which was held in reserve, has also been applied to meet an item of necessary capital expenditure in Madras. Further, it has been decided (a) to devote R2½ crores out of the general surplus of the current year to meet capital requirements of Provincial Governments in connection with universities, colleges and schools; and (b) to distribute R69 lakhs, representing roughly about a third of the opium revenue realised in the current year in excess of R5,40 lakhs, among the Provincial Governments to be applied almost wholly to the erection of hostels,—a small sum of R2 lakhs being allotted to the Calcutta University to enable it to purchase land which it urgently requires for purposes of extension. The total non-recurring subventions to Provincial Governments in 1912-13 for the promotion of education will thus amount to R381.70 lakhs.

21. It has also been decided to make further non-recurring grants to Provincial Governments aggregating R1½ crores out of the general surplus of the current year, the bulk of which will be devoted to meet pressing demands for the improvement of urban sanitation. The distribution of the non-recurring educational and sanitary grants among the several provinces has been made generally on the same basis as has been followed in distributing the recurring grants, and is given in the table below :

	Grant of R62.7 lakhs out of reserve provision in current year's Budget.	EDUCATION.		Total.	SANITATION.
		Additional grants of R250 lakhs.	R69 lakhs.		
Central Provinces	1.50	13.00	4.75	19.25	10.50
Burma	1.50	21.00	3.25	25.75	10.50
Assam	1.00	9.50	3.50	14.00	3.00
Bengal	28.00	52.50	22.50	103.00	20.00
Bihar and Orissa	3.00	26.50	7.25	36.75	10.00
United Provinces	6.50	34.00	8.25	48.75	27.50
Punjab	4.50	17.50	7.75	29.75	14.50
Madras	8.70	45.00	4.00	57.70	27.00
Bombay	8.00	31.00	7.75	46.75	27.00
Total	62.70	250.00	69.00	381.70	150.00

22. In the next place, it has been decided to give from our general surplus in 1912-13 a non-recurring grant of R30 lakhs to Burma and one of R20 lakhs to Assam for communications and general development. The Provincial resources of Burma are not yet quite sufficient to enable the Local Government to maintain a satisfactory rate of progress in the development of the country which its backward condition makes specially and urgently necessary. In Assam also the improvement of communications is a matter of vital importance and the Local Government has recently decided after careful consideration and with the help of a representative conference of leading Europeans and Indians of the province, to allot a sum of R15 lakhs for expenditure by local boards on new communication projects to be carried out in three years.

23. Lastly, it has been decided to allot from our general surplus in 1912-13 a sum of R1 crore for discretionary grants to the Provincial Governments; these grants will not be earmarked for any particular purpose and it will be left to the Local Governments to determine the application of the sums placed at their disposal according to the special and pressing requirements of each. Assam and the Central Provinces will each receive R8 lakhs of the grants of this class, while a sum of R12 lakhs will be given to each of the seven other provinces.

Budget, 1913-14.

24. From the surplus Imperial revenues in 1913-14 it has been decided to make two appropriations of R10 lakhs each for (a) agriculture and allied purposes and (b) medical relief. The first of these grants will be applied mainly to the development of cotton cultivation and of the sugar industry, small sums being also allotted for bacteriological and other laboratories, the extension of cinchona plantations, the development of forests and other desirable improvements. The second grant will be devoted to the improvement of hospitals and medical education. R6.60 lakhs of the former grant and R8.75 lakhs of the latter will be assigned to the nine Provincial Governments; and the balance will be either utilised to meet necessary Imperial outlay in the minor administrations, etc., or else held in reserve for future allotment. The distribution of the assignments to the Provincial Governments is given below :—

	AGRICULTURAL AND ALLIED OBJECTS.				MEDICAL RELIEF.
	Agriculture.	Forests.	Cinchona plantations.	Total.	
	R	R	R	R	R
Central Provinces	20	...	...	20	1.50
Burma	75	50	...	1.25	1.50
Assam	50	25	...	75	25
Bengal	1.00	...	50	1.50	1.00
Bihar and Orissa	50	...	...	50	50
United Provinces	60	...	...	60	1.00
Punjab	1.20	...	...	1.20	50
Madras . . . . .	...	...	50	50	1.50
Bombay	10	...	...	10	1.00
Total	4.85	75	1.00	6.60	8.75

(ii) Other non-recurring grants.

25. The following are the details of the other non-recurring grants given in the two years :—

(a) Grants made under the terms of the Provincial settlements :—

	1912-1913.	1913-1914.
To bring the net Irrigation revenue in the United Provinces up to the amount guaranteed in the settlements	5.98	3.26

(b) Other grants—

(1) Contribution to meet Provincial expenditure in Burma and Assam in connection with Frontier Missions, Surveys, etc.	10.85	10.47
(2) Contribution to meet arrear charges in connection with the Royal Visit (mainly payment of bonus to subordinate civil employes of Government)	2.04	...
(3) Grant to the United Provinces for tank restoration works out of the special provision made in the Imperial Budget under Minor Irrigation works for the improvement of irrigation	1.30	...
(4) Annual contribution to the Calcutta Improvement Trust for a period of sixty years	1.50	1.50
(5) Miscellaneous adjustments representing mainly refund of expenditure undertaken on behalf of the Imperial Government or of Provincial revenue erroneously credited as Imperial . . . . .	.96	.37
	10.65	12.34

EXPENDITURE.

(a) *Wholly Imperial.*

26. Excluding the Delhi figures, the saving of Rs 2.05 lakhs in the Budget grant for 1912-13 is chiefly due to lapses in the provision for survey and settlement expenditure in Bengal and Bihar and Orissa; and the increase of Rs 5.40 lakhs in the Budget estimate for 1913-14 over the Revised for the current year occurs mostly in the same item of expenditure. The variations in the figures shown against the North-West Frontier Province are due to ordinary lapses in grants in 1912-13 and to normal provision for the sanctioned scale of expenditure in 1913-14.

Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

(b) *Divided and Wholly Provincial.*

27. The total expenditure in the current year will be Rs 7.06 lakhs less than the Budget estimate. Savings of considerable magnitude are expected in the Punjab (2.92 lakhs) owing to the separation of Delhi, and the total or partial non-utilisation of the provisions for the reorganisation of the Indian Civil Service and the extension of settlement operations; and in Madras (Rs 2.72 lakhs) in consequence of smaller payments to village servants and of delay in the introduction of the scheme for the revision of taluk establishments. The saving in the latter province would have been larger, but for the arrear payment of Royal bonus to certain establishments and an increase in the grain compensation charges. Important savings in the Budget grants are also expected in the United Provinces (Rs 92 lakh), Bombay (Rs 83 lakh) and Bihar and Orissa (Rs 80 lakh) owing to ordinary lapses in grants, and the total or partial non-utilisation of the lump provisions for the revision of certain establishments. Burma is the only province in which there will be a material excess over the Budget grant. Here the increase in the land revenue collections will necessitate a larger payment of commission on the collections, while the expenditure on town and other surveys will be higher than was anticipated.

Revised, 1912-13.

28. The total Budget estimate for 1913-14 is Rs 11.37 lakhs higher than the Revised for the current year. The increase is confined practically to two provinces—United Provinces (Rs 7.90 lakhs) and Madras (Rs 3.56 lakhs). Of the large increase anticipated in the former province, Rs 6.25 lakhs represents the cost of a scheme for the revision of pay of clerical establishments in accordance with the recommendations of a committee which was appointed two years ago to enquire into the matter; while the balance is mostly made up of provisions for the extension of settlement operations and for an increase in the number of deputy collectors in pursuance of a scheme which has been recently sanctioned by the Secretary of State. The increase of Rs 3.56 lakhs in Madras is chiefly due to provision for the revision of village establishments including those in proprietary estates, as well as for a full year's cost of the reorganised taluk establishments. Special provision has also been made in the Central Provinces for the revision of the patwari establishments and the extension of settlement operations; in Assam for a survey school; and in the Punjab for an increase in the number of extra assistant commissioners and for the regrading of tahsildars. In Bombay also, special provision has been made for the revision of the pay of subordinate revenue establishments, and of village servants in the Kaira district; but its effect is obscured by smaller allotments for grain compensation allowance and other indirect famine outlay, and by a change in the method of adjustment of certain charges which will result in the transfer of Rs 1.43 lakhs of expenditure from the head "3—Land Revenue" to "19A—Courts of Law."

Budget, 1913-14.

II AND 4.—OPIUM.

				1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
INDIA.						
Revenue—						
Bengal—Sale of						
Opium	6,81,92,200	10,86,88,616	7,48,64,728	3,10,57,000	4,98,06,000	1,62,00,000
Bombay—Pass and						
auction Fees . . .	1,08,62,101	1,80,800	1,03,99,1	1,86,74,000	2,20,38,000	4,77,000
Excise Opium and						
other Revenue . .	39,65,944	40,15,017	41,55,387	46,00,000	48,74,000	49,98,000
TOTAL R	8,30,20,245	11,28,29,433	8,94,19,170	43,81,000	7,67,18,000	2,16,75,000
Equivalent in Sterling	5,534,683	7,521,962	5,961,278	3,622,000	5,114,600	1,445,000
Expenditure—						
Payments to Cultiva-						
tors, including pur-						
chase of Opium . .	1,46,88,428	1,68,40,270	93,84,254	89,01,000	76,74,000	1,56,78,000
Other Charges	19,57,434	18,52,014	15,83,522	14,08,000	13,50,000	13,47,000
TOTAL INDIA R	1,66,40,862	1,86,92,284	1,09,17,776	1,03,09,000	90,24,000	1,70,25,000
Equivalent in Sterling	1,109,891	1,246,152	727,852	687,200	601,600	1,185,000
ENGLAND.						
Other Charges £	764	505	1,600	500	400	400
TOTAL £	1,110,155	1,246,657	729,452	687,700	602,000	1,185,400
Statistics—						
Bengal—						
Chests—						
sold { Certificated	42,800	(a) 87,590	(b) 26,800	5,206	4,690	...
Average { Uncertificated				12,200	13,200	9,000
price { Certificated	R1,612	R2,891	R2,787	R2,450	R5,068	...
price { Uncertificated				R1,500	R1,968	R1,800
Chests produced . .	28,125	29,000	15,000	...	14,000	...
Chests in Balance,						
March 31	41,168	(a) 32,568	20,708	...	16,818	...
Reserve, December						
31	22,938	11,458	11,018	11,018	6,178	11,178
Bombay—						
Chests passed for						
export	18,108½	218	7,362	(c) 15,615	10,345½	...
Rate of duty (Govern-						
ment share)	R600	R600	R600, R800	R900	R900	...
Government share of						
auction proceeds . .	...	...	R14,88,000	R16,20,000	R1,17,38,000	R4,77,000

(a) Inclusive of 100 chests supplied to the Government of Straits Settlements in March 1911, the price of which has been realised in 1911-12.

(b) Inclusive of the 100 chests mentioned above.

(c) Inclusive of 1,000 chests for markets other than China.

REVENUE.

(i) Bengal Opium.

Revised, 1912-13.

29. The Budget estimate for 1912-13 provided for the sale of 17,406 chests of Bengal opium; and it was assumed that 5,206 out of these would be specially certificated for China and would realise an average price of R2,450 a chest, while the remaining 12,200 chests would yield an average price of R1,500 each only. The total number of chests sold at Calcutta to end of March has amounted to 17,890 and they have brought in a revenue of R4,98,06 lakhs.

30. The Budget for 1913-14 provides only for the sale of 9,000 uncertificated chests of Bengal opium at an average price of Rs1,800 each, the total receipts on this account thus amounting to Rs1,62 lakhs. *Budget, 1913-14.*

(ii) *Malwa opium.*

31. As regards Malwa opium, the Budget estimate for the current year provided for the sale of 14,615 certificated chests and the export of 1,000 chests without certificates; and after making due allowance for the effect of the arrangement which permits of the payment of the premium for the right of export within a specified period from the date of sale, on the deposit of proper security, the estimate of revenue was placed at Rs186.74 lakhs. 9,428 chests of Malwa opium have been sold to end of December and Rs220.38 lakhs of revenue have been already credited to Government. No sales have been effected in the last three months of the year; and the Revised Estimate has accordingly been placed at Rs220.38 lakhs. *Revised, 1912-13.*

32. The Budget for 1913-14 provides only for the recovery of Rs4.77 lakhs of premium payable in respect of the December sale which is not likely to be received before April next. *Budget, 1913-14.*

(iii) *Excise opium and other Revenue.*

33. Under this head the Revised estimate for 1912-13 exceeds the Budget by Rs2.74 lakhs. About half the improvement occurs in Bombay where Bengal opium was substituted for Malwa opium for purposes of local consumption; while the remainder is distributed among a number of provinces. *Revised, 1912-13.*

34. The Budget estimate for 1913-14 provides for the normal annual growth of revenue. *Budget, 1913-14.*

EXPENDITURE.

35. There is a saving of Rs12.85 lakhs in the Budget provision for the current year mainly in consequence of reduced payments to cultivators resulting from a comparatively poor outturn of the crop of 1912. The Budget estimate of 1913-14 includes a special provision of Rs4 lakhs for the purchase of Malwa opium for excise purposes and allows for the reduced scale of cultivation of Bengal opium. *Revised, 1912-13.*
Budget, 1913-14.

III AND 5.—SALT.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
REVENUE.						
Northern India (a)	1,11,46,888	1,03,80,484	1,14,69,785	1,15,50,000	1,22,18,000	1,22,67,000
Burma (b)	21,01,194	20,89,510	22,07,835	28,00,000	21,10,000	21,60,000
Assam	...	...	...	...	1,000	2,000
Bengal (now) (b)	...	...	...	1,36,67,000	1,16,00,000	1,21,00,000
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	2,000	1,000
Madras (a)	1,06,73,640	1,08,64,810	1,07,48,794	1,09,00,000	1,11,00,000	1,11,50,000
Bombay (a)	1,80,85,022	1,27,87,690	1,38,13,414	1,30,00,000	1,30,25,000	1,34,00,000
Eastern Bengal (b)	13,26,823	12,87,081	12,49,966	...	...	...
Bengal (b)	1,14,59,851	1,02,30,178	1,13,48,436	...	...	...
TOTAL R	4,97,92,767	4,76,39,253	5,08,08,180	5,14,17,000	5,00,51,000	5,10,80,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	3,319,518	3,175,950	3,391,212	3,427,800	3,336,700	3,405,300
CHARGES.						
Establishment charges	89,84,025	43,21,535	41,61,308	42,71,000	42,73,000	43,06,000
Cost of Salt purchased by Government	9,68,524	12,96,663	13,55,102	13,70,000	13,56,000	13,49,000
Total India R	49,52,549	56,18,198	55,16,410	56,41,000	56,29,000	56,57,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	330,170	374,547	367,761	376,100	375,300	377,100
England	573	2,529	729	800	900	1,500
TOTAL £	330,743	377,076	368,490	376,900	376,200	378,600
Total Consumption Mds.	4,58,00,000	4,55,27,000	4,75,50,000	4,78,00,000	4,73,29,000	4,79,96,000

(a) Chiefly excise on local manufacture.

(b) Chiefly duty on imported Salt.

REVENUE.

Revised, 1912-13.

36. The total quantity of salt issued for consumption in 1912-13 is likely to be less than the Budget estimate by about 5 lakhs of maunds. This decrease is wholly due to the abnormally high issues in Bengal in the months of December, January and February last year, in consequence of speculative clearances which have overstocked the market and reduced the demands in that province in the current year. With a duty of R1 per maund, the decrease in consumption would have led to an equal decrease in the Budget estimate of revenue. But the actual shortage will be higher owing to a further development of the credit system of payment of duty in Bengal, and will amount to R13.66 lakhs.

Budget, 1913-14.

37. In the Budget estimate for 1913-14 provision has been made for a moderate growth in the consumption of $6\frac{3}{4}$ lakhs of maunds. The increase in revenue will, however, amount to R10.29 lakhs as the growth in the sales on credit in Bengal is not likely to be quite so large in 1913-14 as in the current year.

EXPENDITURE.

Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

38. The total Revised estimate for the current year does not differ materially from the Budget provision. An increase of R1.24 lakhs in Bombay, mainly in connection with land acquisition at Bhandup, has been more than counterbalanced by savings in other provinces. The Budget estimate for 1913-14 provides for the normal scale of expenditure, for a necessary replenishment of the reserve stock in Northern India, and for a steam launch required in Bengal; but owing to the absence of the special land acquisition charges incurred in Bombay in the current year the total Budget will be only R 28 lakh higher than the Revised estimate for 1912-13.

IV AND 6.—STAMPS.

REVENUE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	3,53,806	3,76,456	3,99,056	3,84,000	4,09,000	4,11,000
2. Delhi . . .	...	...	...	...	1,51,000	3,07,000
3. Baluchistan . . .	32,580	37,703	90,832	88,000	87,000	87,000
4. North-West Frontier . . .	5,20,724	5,02,016	5,69,412	5,47,000	5,75,000	5,73,000
TOTAL . . .	9,67,110	9,66,175	10,59,302	10,19,000	12,22,000	13,78,000
<i>Divided.</i>						
1. Central Provinces . . .	31,99,378	35,24,209	33,60,466	35,00,000	37,00,000	37,25,000
2. Burma . . .	36,12,156	38,96,721	36,71,210	38,00,000	36,64,000	37,50,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	12,25,000	12,00,000	13,40,000
4. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	2,04,25,000	2,08,50,000	2,14,00,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	61,50,000	66,80,000	68,80,000
6. United Provinces . . .	1,10,40,162	1,20,50,270	1,09,90,235	1,12,00,000	1,15,00,000	1,17,50,000
7. Punjab . . .	48,91,873	48,92,330	52,57,021	53,00,000	54,61,000	55,00,000
8. Madras . . .	1,14,91,968	1,21,15,881	1,27,25,416	1,31,00,000	1,36,50,000	1,42,50,000
9. Bombay . . .	72,50,961	81,95,947	76,63,815	79,00,000	82,00,000	83,00,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam. . .	1,01,64,150	1,06,73,319	1,11,61,673	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	1,56,17,389	1,58,60,511	1,63,37,802	...	...	...
TOTAL . . .	6,72,67,437	7,12,09,188	7,11,67,088	7,26,00,000	7,49,65,000	7,68,95,000
TOTAL REVENUE R . . .	6,82,24,547	7,21,75,363	7,22,20,940	7,36,19,000	7,61,87,000	7,82,73,000
Distribution of Total Revenue :—						
Court Fees and Plain Paper . . .	4,66,24,121	4,96,88,352	4,88,86,517	5,02,51,000	5,09,95,000	5,23,01,000
Commercial and other stamps . . .	2,07,86,048	2,14,72,029	2,22,91,676	2,23,63,000	2,41,56,000	2,49,24,000
Other Revenue . . .	8,14,378	10,14,982	10,49,747	10,05,000	10,36,000	10,48,000
Equivalent of total revenue in Sterling £ . . .	4,548,304	4,811,691	4,815,120	4,908,000	5,079,100	5,218,200

EXPENDITURE

<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General :—						
(i) Superintendence and other charges . . .	2,24,523	1,91,171	2,19,850	2,23,000	2,75,000	2,56,000
(ii) Credits for value of stamps supplied to Local Governments and administrations and to the Postal and Telegraph Departments . . .	—16,90,423	—17,10,136	—18,18,608	—18,70,000	—17,61,000	—16,49,000
2. Delhi . . .	1,233	1,291	1,340	1,000	2,000	6,000
3. Baluchistan . . .	19,684	22,455	21,953	22,000	21,000	1,000
4. North-West Frontier . . .	...	...	...	...	...	23,000
TOTAL . . .	—14,44,985	—14,95,219	—15,75,655	—16,24,000	—14,62,000	—13,63,000
<i>Divided.</i>						
1. Central Provinces . . .	1,21,904	1,18,475	1,26,550	1,30,000	1,27,000	1,23,000
2. Burma . . .	1,01,910	1,03,632	1,02,095	1,06,000	1,10,000	1,11,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	58,000	56,000	58,000
4. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	6,72,000	6,87,000	7,25,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	2,06,000	2,37,000	2,55,000
6. United Provinces . . .	2,73,967	2,79,572	2,74,466	2,73,000	2,85,000	2,91,000
7. Punjab . . .	1,71,602	1,62,914	1,70,897	1,69,000	1,73,000	1,78,000
8. Madras . . .	4,26,685	4,30,450	4,48,473	4,40,000	4,68,000	4,62,000
9. Bombay . . .	2,21,663	2,32,879	2,27,638	2,38,000	2,38,000	2,37,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	4,19,750	4,05,163	4,44,942	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	4,31,964	4,27,563	4,37,871	...	...	...
TOTAL . . .	21,69,445	21,60,638	22,39,532	22,42,000	23,82,000	24,45,000
TOTAL INDIA . R . . .	7,24,460	6,65,419	6,53,877	6,68,000	9,20,000	10,82,000
Equivalent in Sterling £ . . .	43,297	44,861	44,259	44,500	61,300	72,100
Equivalent in Sterling £ . . .	103,492	79,459	89,931	110,500	80,000	91,600
TOTAL EXPENDITURE £ . . .	151,789	123,820	134,190	155,000	141,300	163,700

REVENUE.

(a) *Wholly Imperial.*Revised, 1912-13.

39. Excluding the Delhi figures, the total Revised estimate for 1912-13 is Rs 52 lakh higher than the Budget forecast owing to small improvements in the North-West Frontier Province and in other minor administrations, while the total Budget for 1913-14 is the same as the Revised estimate for the current year.

Budget, 1913-14.(b) *Divided.*Revised, 1912-13.

40. The growth of revenue in 1912-13 is now expected to be Rs 23.65 lakhs higher than the provision made in the Budget estimate. The greater part of this increase, viz., Rs 17.93 lakhs, will be derived from non-judicial stamps and reflects the remarkable activity of trade during the year. The revenue from court-fee stamps will also advance by Rs 7.44 lakhs owing to the increase of litigation in a generally prosperous year. All the provinces share in the expansion of revenue with the exception of Burma, where the revenue will fall short of the Budget estimate by Rs 1.36 lakhs in consequence of trade depression and financial stringency.

Budget, 1913-14.

41. The Budget for 1913-14 is taken at Rs 19.30 lakhs more than the Revised estimate for 1912-13. Provision for normal growth has been made in every province.

EXPENDITURE.

42. The cost of all stamps and stamp paper supplied from England is charged under this head, and an adjustment is made in India transferring to Post Office and Telegraph the cost of stamps used for postal and telegraph purposes. Similarly the cost of revenue stamps supplied to Local Governments and Administrations is debited to them in the Provincial section of the accounts by *per contra* credit in the Imperial section under this head. The credits on both these accounts are shown against item I (ii) under Expenditure in the table on page 35.

(a) *Wholly Imperial (including outlay in England).*Revised, 1912-13.

43. The net credit in 1912-13 in the Imperial section of the accounts in India is now taken at Rs 1.62 lakhs less than the Budget estimate. Some extra expenditure has been incurred in connection with the insurance of consignments of stamps; and there will be a large decrease in the value of stamps supplied to the Postal Department owing to the lower prices which are charged under the new contract and which will result in a saving in the English outlay. In fact, taking India and England together, the Revised estimate of stamp expenditure in 1912-13 is Rs 2.95 lakhs less than the Budget estimate; while the Budget provision for 1913-14 is Rs 2.73 lakhs higher than the Revised estimate for the current year.

Budget, 1913-14.(b) *Divided.*

44. The increase in expenditure in the current year over the Budget estimate, and the further advance provided for in the Budget for 1913-14 are concomitants of the growth in revenue.

V AND 7.—EXCISE.

REVENUE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General	14,38,707	15,73,680	15,46,244	16,08,000	16,20,000	16,47,000
2. Delhi	...	...	...	...	1,35,000	2,90,000
3. Baluchistan	1,91,572	2,48,854	2,74,294	2,55,000	2,81,000	2,76,000
4. North-West Frontier	3,18,588	2,78,194	3,10,143	3,25,000	3,50,000	3,50,000
Total	19,48,862	20,98,737	21,23,681	21,88,000	24,00,000	25,63,000
<i>* Divided and wholly Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces	68,87,477	75,88,655	91,12,523	98,00,000	1,05,00,000	1,10,00,000
2. Burma	76,49,137	72,01,227	72,95,047	78,80,000	81,00,000	82,00,000
3. Assam	...	...	...	48,00,000	48,00,000	48,75,000
4. Bengal (new)	...	...	...	1,38,50,000	1,35,00,000	1,38,55,000
5. Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	1,01,00,000	1,02,85,000	1,05,50,000
6. United Provinces	86,76,811	1,02,79,365	1,11,31,787	1,15,00,000	1,23,00,000	1,27,00,000
7. Punjab	43,23,244	56,94,676	64,00,303	63,50,000	69,50,000	69,50,000
8. Madras	2,69,85,301	2,77,78,643	3,00,64,174	3,19,00,000	3,31,10,000	3,43,00,000
9. Bombay	1,75,46,814	1,89,72,896	2,02,91,345	2,06,50,000	2,08,00,000	2,13,00,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	73,07,598	78,71,330	82,81,693	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	1,67,92,558	1,79,74,186	1,94,28,129	...	...	...
Total	9,61,18,940	10,38,55,978	11,20,09,604	11,64,30,000	12,03,45,000	12,42,30,000
TOTAL REVENUE R	9,80,67,802	10,54,54,715	11,41,43,285	11,86,18,000	12,27,45,000	12,67,93,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	6,537,854	7,030,314	7,609,753	7,907,900	8,183,000	8,452,900

EXPENDITURE.

<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General	1,55,028	1,55,579	1,42,048	90,000	98,000	97,000
2. Delhi	...	...	...	...	3,000	6,000
3. Baluchistan	5,322	14,777	10,471	9,000	16,000	20,000
4. North-West Frontier	8,280	12,472	14,502	16,000	15,000	19,000
Total	1,68,630	1,82,828	1,67,121	1,15,000	1,32,000	1,42,000
<i>Divided and wholly Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces	2,67,805	2,76,086	2,89,952	3,56,000	3,21,000	3,80,000
2. Burma	12,14,020	11,81,752	11,92,968	13,13,000	13,10,000	13,55,000
3. Assam	...	...	...	1,13,000	1,19,000	1,10,000
4. Bengal (new)	...	...	...	6,31,000	6,04,000	6,69,000
5. Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	5,01,000	5,25,000	5,48,000
6. United Provinces	3,21,228	3,59,805	3,92,403	4,01,000	4,08,000	4,20,000
7. Punjab	78,490	1,68,571	1,71,350	1,86,000	1,84,000	1,92,000
8. Madras	18,15,130	17,74,034	17,83,533	18,49,000	18,33,000	18,42,000
9. Bombay	9,38,919	9,45,547	10,57,043	10,44,000	10,80,000	11,26,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	2,90,108	3,10,833	3,21,032	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	8,71,328	8,83,483	9,11,723	...	...	...
Total	57,95,023	59,00,116	61,20,017	63,94,000	63,84,000	66,42,000
Total India R	59,63,658	60,83,944	62,67,138	65,09,000	65,16,000	67,84,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	397,577	406,530	419,142	434,000	434,400	452,800
England £	336	464	111	...	...	...
TOTAL EXPENDITURE £	397,913	406,994	419,253	434,000	434,400	452,800

REVENUE.

(a) Wholly Imperial.

45. Excluding Delhi, the figures do not show any important variation and call for no remark.

(b) Divided and wholly Provincial.

Revised, 1912-13.

46. The total Revised estimate for 1912-13 exceeds the Budget by R39 15 lakhs. The prevalence of favourable economic conditions throughout the greater portion of the country, the gradual enhancement of rates of duty, the raising of the issue price of opium, the establishment of confidence in the contract supply system and stricter excise control have again combined to secure a very substantial improvement in revenue over the Budget estimate in almost every province. Certain special factors have also contributed to the growth; and among these may be mentioned (1) a change in system in the Punjab whereby two months' license fees which are realised in advance at the annual auctions of the right of vend in March are now credited as revenue at the time of receipt instead of being held in deposit and credited as revenue in the ensuing year; and (2) the introduction of Bengal opium for excise purposes in Bombay and in the northern districts of Burma. In Bengal alone is the revenue now expected to fall short of the Budget estimate. The license fees at which country spirit shops were settled for 1912-13 were comparatively low owing apparently to the rise in the price of food grains at the beginning of the year which is said to have checked consumption; while a shortage of last year's *ganja* crop has forced up prices and has affected the revenue.

Budget, 1913-14.

47. The total Budget for 1913-14 is taken at R38·85 lakhs higher than the Revised estimate for 1912-13. The increase is distributed over all the provinces with the exception of the Punjab where the normal growth of revenue is expected to be wholly counterbalanced by the absence of the special receipts of the current year and the loss of the Delhi revenue for the first half of the year. In view of the high collections of the current year, and changes contemplated in the excise administration in some provinces, provision has generally been made only for a moderate growth of revenue in 1913-14.

EXPENDITURE.

(a) Wholly Imperial.

48. The figures show little variation and call for no remark.

(b) Divided and wholly Provincial.

Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

49. The Revised estimate for the current year does not differ materially from the Budget provision. Budget for 1913-14 provides for normal charges of sanctioned establishments, as well as for the additional staff required in Bombay, the re-organisation of the Excise department in Bengal and the revision of certain establishments in the Central Provinces.

VI AND 8.—PROVINCIAL RATES.

REVENUE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General	27,801	1,357	10,819	14,000	18,000	15,000
2. North-West Frontier	2,214	2,013	2,773	3,000	3,000	3,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Assam . . . . .	...	...	...	7,000	8,000	8,000
2. Bengal (new) . . . . .	...	...	...	32,42,000	32,00,000	30,000
3. Bihar and Orissa . . . . .	...	...	...	26,00,000	27,40,000	1,28,000
4. United Provinces	23,38,185	24,05,151	23,74,149	23,65,000	23,60,000	1,57,000
5. Punjab	33,156	24,767	27,754	25,000	30,000	30,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	16,60,067	17,23,440	17,58,032	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	39,76,925	41,53,949	40,56,638	...	...	...
TOTAL REVENUE R	80,88,348	83,15,677	82,30,195	82,56,000	83,59,000	4,31,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	589,223	554,378	548,680	550,400	557,300	28,700

EXPENDITURE.

<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Bengal (new) . . . . .	...	...	...	53,000	45,000	...
2. Bihar and Orissa . . . . .	...	...	...	85,000	46,000	...
Eastern Bengal and Assam	31,796	27,143	26,755	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	42,379	43,220	58,663	...	...	...
TOTAL EXPENDITURE R	74,175	69,363	85,418	88,000	91,000	...
Equivalent in Sterling £	4,945	4,624	5,695	5,900	6,100	...

REVENUE.

(a) Imperial.

50. The figures show little variation and call for no remark.

(b) Provincial.

51. The improvement of R 99 lakh in 1912-13 over the Budget estimate occurs mainly in the yield of the public works cess in Bihar and Orissa. The large decrease of R 79.25 lakhs in the Budget of next year as compared with the Revised estimate of 1912-13 is explained by the surrender to district boards of the public works cess in Bengal and in Bihar and Orissa, and the discontinuance of the appropriations hitherto made from the local rate in Agra to meet the cost of the rural police. Revised 1912-13.
Budget, 1913-14.

EXPENDITURE.

52. The Revised estimate for 1912-13 practically repeats the Budget. No provision for expenditure has been made in 1913-14 in view of the surrender of the public works cess in Bengal and Bihar and Orissa.

VII AND 9.—CUSTOMS.

SEA CUSTOMS. IMPORTS.	Accounts. 1909-1910.	Accounts. 1910-1911.	Accounts. 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Special Import Duties.</i>						
Arms, Ammunition, and Military Stores	4,82,061	5,00,005	5,17,612	4,71,000	6,34,000	6,12,000
Liquors—						
Ale, Beer, Porter, Cider and other fermented Liquors	5,45,508	7,99,863	7,99,670	8,13,000	8,83,000	9,00,000
Spirits and Liqueurs	95,57,088	1,00,87,535	1,10,63,333	1,12,00,000	1,10,80,000	1,10,31,000
Wines	4,12,199	5,70,996	5,75,383	5,90,000	5,71,000	5,68,000
Opium	3,580	7,594	6,430	8,000	7,000	8,000
Petroleum	46,87,886	60,63,193	75,69,066	70,00,000	66,19,000	68,00,000
Silver, Bullion and Coin	...	1,62,40,211	97,83,750	80,00,000	1,00,00,000	80,00,000
Sugar (countervailing duties, 1899).	734	1,524	448	...	15,000	...
Do. (do. 1902)	108	...	...	...	...	...
Tobacco	(a)	30,06,672	25,68,089	25,66,000	27,50,000	27,50,000
<i>General Import Duties.</i>						
Articles of Food and Drink (excluding Sugar)	24,91,069	25,81,083	27,59,294	28,00,000	29,37,000	31,15,000
Sugar (ordinary duties)	56,02,253	62,87,703	52,38,539	60,00,000	71,00,000	72,00,000
Chemicals, Drugs, Medicines and Dyeing and Tanning Materials	19,74,847	16,45,557	16,79,326	16,69,000	18,24,000	18,50,000
Cotton Manufactures	1,23,85,548	1,41,77,302	1,56,16,332	1,63,50,000	1,87,20,000	1,90,20,000
Metals and Manufactures of Metals:—						
Silver, Bullion and Coin	53,40,983	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Other Metals and Manufactures of Metals	45,68,334	53,08,530	51,25,168	58,00,000	50,50,000	50,50,000
Oils (excluding Petroleum)	1,24,294	1,38,691	1,16,498	1,29,000	1,55,000	1,60,000
Manufactured Articles	92,68,645	1,13,68,293	1,23,53,853	1,30,00,000	1,38,65,000	1,41,42,000
Raw Materials and Unmanufactured Articles	14,94,639	14,60,996	14,76,834	15,24,000	16,80,000	17,88,000
TOTAL IMPORTS	5,89,00,736	8,08,61,010	7,72,86,605	7,74,20,000	8,38,90,000	8,29,90,000
EXCISE DUTY ON COTTON GOODS	40,06,198	42,80,251	48,79,478	51,50,000	53,88,000	55,06,000
EXPORT DUTIES—						
Rice	1,04,63,698	1,30,87,908	1,36,23,196	1,22,33,000	1,45,99,000	1,30,66,000
LAND CUSTOMS AND MISCELLANEOUS.	10,46,113	10,55,969	12,39,220	11,72,000	13,92,000	13,80,000
GRAND TOTAL	R 7,44,76,780	9,92,85,138	9,70,28,499	9,59,75,000	10,51,19,000	10,29,42,000
Equivalent in Sterling	£ 4,905,118	6,619,009	6,468,567	6,396,300	7,007,900	6,962,800
CHARGES	R 32,56,887	35,83,968	37,53,095	38,89,000	38,96,000	40,03,000
Equivalent in Sterling	£ 217,124	238,931	250,246	255,900	259,800	266,900
England	£ 371	635	467	100	200	100
TOTAL	£ 217,495	239,566	250,713	256,000	260,000	267,000

(a) Credited under General Import Duties—Chemicals, etc.

(b) See under Special Import Duties.

REVENUE.

Revised, 1912-13.

53. The Revised estimate for 1912-13 exceeds the Budget by no less than R91.44 lakhs. Of this improvement, R20 lakhs are contributed by silver, the imports of the commodity being far in excess of the cautious estimate adopted last year; R23.66 lakhs by the export duty on rice owing to heavy demands from Ceylon and the Far East which stimulated exports not only from Burma but also from Bengal; R24.58 lakhs by the import and excise duty on cotton goods, and R8.65 lakhs by manufactured articles, the demand for these goods having expanded more rapidly than had been anticipated owing to the generally favourable economic conditions; and R11.15 lakhs by sugar, the imports of which were stimulated by good crops abroad and the consequent fall in prices. Increases of smaller magnitude are also expected under some of the other tariff heads, but they are largely counterbalanced by shortages under petroleum, the imports of which have declined to a greater extent than had been allowed for on the cessation of last year's rate war, and certain other heads.

Budget, 1913-14.

54. The Budget estimate for 1913-14 has been taken at R21.77 lakhs less than the Revised for the current year. A cautious estimate of R80 lakhs has again been adopted for the yield of the silver duty, while the revenue from the export duty on rice has been taken at a normal figure of R1,30.66 lakhs. Under the other tariff heads provision has been made generally for a moderate growth of revenue.

EXPENDITURE.

Revised, 1912-13.

55. The Revised estimate for the current year does not differ materially from the Budget and calls for no remarks. Budget for 1913-14 provides for the sanctioned scale of expenditure, and for the revision of certain establishments in Bombay.

Budget, 1913-14.

VII AND 10.—ASSESSED TAXES.

REVENUE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General (Civil) .	8,87,448	8,90,196	9,26,515	9,20,000	9,14,000	9,00,000
2. Delhi .	...	...	...	...	78,000	1,51,000
3. Baluchistan (Civil) .	20,031	20,039	20,303	20,000	21,000	20,000
4. North-West Frontier (Civil) .	1,32,049	1,32,998	1,43,555	1,39,000	1,48,000	1,43,000
5. Other Provinces (Civil) .	4,043	23,232	20,055	18,000	32,000	18,000
6. Non-Civil Depart- ments .	16,93,568	17,17,809	14,69,426	14,52,000	14,98,000	15,33,000
Total .	27,37,139	27,84,274	25,79,857	25,49,000	26,89,000	27,70,000
<i>Divided.</i>						
1. Central Provinces .	5,47,204	6,13,386	7,05,639	7,35,000	7,50,000	7,70,000
2. Burma .	18,33,507	18,98,721	19,40,044	19,47,000	19,40,000	19,57,000
3. Assam .	...	...	...	3,80,000	4,14,000	4,50,000
4. Bengal (new) .	...	...	...	51,25,000	56,00,000	56,00,000
5. Bihar and Orissa .	...	...	...	11,60,000	13,31,000	13,84,000
6. United Provinces .	22,18,211	23,22,361	24,13,931	24,99,000	25,19,000	25,69,000
7. Punjab .	14,57,971	15,01,237	15,21,859	16,84,000	16,15,000	16,22,000
8. Madras .	30,74,333	30,81,745	32,05,741	32,42,000	31,00,000	35,50,000
9. Bombay .	47,17,349	50,99,847	54,18,445	54,00,000	56,48,000	56,90,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam .	12,12,713	12,44,785	13,37,314	...	...	...
Bengal (old) .	55,86,036	53,53,107	55,75,341	...	...	...
Total .	2,06,47,324	2,11,15,239	2,22,13,324	2,21,32,000	2,32,20,000	2,33,02,000
TOTAL REVENUE R .	2,33,84,463	2,38,99,513	2,47,93,181	2,46,81,000	2,59,09,000	2,63,72,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	1,558,964	1,593,301	1,652,878	1,645,400	*1,727,300	1,758,200

EXPENDITURE.

<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General .	1,506	1,504	1,504	2,000	1,000	2,000
2. Delhi .	...	...	...	...	1,000	2,000
3. North-West Frontier	991	1,079	1,376	1,000	1,000	1,000
Total .	2,497	2,583	2,880	3,000	3,000	5,000
<i>Divided.</i>						
1. Central Provinces .	9,805	8,574	9,788	22,000	22,000	24,000
2. Burma .	39,210	41,430	42,311	44,000	44,000	45,000
3. Assam .	...	...	...	8,000	6,000	6,000
4. Bengal (new) .	...	...	...	1,57,000	1,56,000	1,57,000
5. Bihar and Orissa .	...	...	...	41,000	42,000	41,000
6. United Provinces .	313	312	271	...	...	...
7. Punjab .	11,020	10,660	10,971	11,000	11,000	11,000
8. Madras .	38,892	35,495	37,058	37,000	37,000	37,000
9. Bombay .	95,223	1,09,406	1,15,840	1,21,000	1,18,000	1,45,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam .	39,214	40,399	39,401	...	...	...
Bengal (old) .	1,55,715	1,56,004	1,65,653	...	...	...
Total .	3,89,391	4,02,280	4,21,293	4,41,000	4,36,000	4,66,000
TOTAL EXPENDITURE R .	3,91,883	4,04,863	4,24,173	4,44,000	4,39,000	4,71,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	26,126	26,901	28,273	29,600	29,300	31,400

REVENUE.

(a) *Imperial.*

56. Excluding the Delhi figures, there is no material variation between the Budget and Revised estimates for the current year or between the latter and the Budget estimate for 1913-14.

(b) *Divided.*

Revised, 1912-13.

57. The total revenue in 1912-13 is likely to exceed the Budget by R10 88 lakhs. Of this improvement R4.75 lakhs are expected in Bengal where a cautious estimate was adopted last year in view of possible troubles in the jute business which however did not arise, while the briskness of trade has led to a large growth in the revenue. Important increases will also take place in Bihar and Orissa (R1 74 lakhs), Bombay (R2 48 lakhs) and Madras (R1 58 lakhs) owing generally to favourable trade conditions and improved arrangements for assessment. The Budget for 1913-14 provides for normal growth of revenue in almost all the provinces. In Bengal alone has no provision been made for an advance on the heavy collections in the current year.

Budget, 1913-14.

EXPENDITURE.

58. The figures show little variation and call for no remark.

**IX AND 11.—FOREST.
REVENUE.**

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	5,12,136	7,39,418	8,59,920	8,58,000	7,56,000	7,78,000
2. Baluchistan . . .	18,780	23,210	20,118	22,000	20,000	22,000
3. North-West Frontier . .	1,73,305	2,05,342	1,58,171	2,00,000	2,00,000	2,11,000
Total . . .	7,04,171	9,67,970	10,38,209	10,80,000	9,76,000	10,11,000
<i>Divided and wholly Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces . . .	20,78,340	21,14,226	25,49,854	24,00,000	21,00,000	22,00,000
2. Burma . . .	93,63,076	1,01,08,020	99,07,504	1,04,66,000	1,07,53,000	1,09,15,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	13,10,000	11,99,000	12,30,000
4. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	14,00,000	16,50,000	14,00,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	4,05,000	4,00,000	4,82,000
6. United Provinces . . .	23,01,164	23,78,439	30,18,160	26,45,000	32,00,000	30,25,000
7. Punjab . . .	10,32,638	12,17,988	13,10,077	13,91,000	12,50,000	13,29,000
8. Madras . . .	41,78,381	38,80,411	41,68,021	40,60,000	41,25,000	40,00,000
9. Bombay . . .	37,57,656	37,18,225	43,30,569	44,60,000	40,00,000	41,50,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	15,31,732	18,90,685	17,78,863	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	10,80,640	11,67,444	11,22,442	...	...	...
Total . . .	2,63,26,622	2,64,75,388	2,82,44,480	2,85,87,000	3,02,77,000	2,94,36,000
TOTAL INDIA R	2,60,30,793	2,74,43,358	2,92,82,689	2,96,17,000	3,12,53,000	3,04,47,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	1,785,386	1,820,557	1,952,179	1,974,500	2,083,500	2,029,800

EXPENDITURE.

<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	6,62,821	7,07,490	8,02,202	8,65,000	8,14,000	11,30,000
2. Baluchistan . . .	26,549	20,386	28,947	30,000	30,000	30,000
3. North-West Frontier . .	77,391	72,493	89,435	1,00,000	1,00,000	1,26,000
Total . . .	7,66,761	8,06,369	9,20,585	10,15,000	9,44,000	12,86,000
<i>Divided and wholly Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces . . .	15,86,862	15,89,533	18,38,379	17,60,000	19,46,000	18,55,000
2. Burma . . .	37,89,303	40,04,805	42,57,225	43,20,000	42,32,000	41,59,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	8,43,000	8,19,000	9,23,000
4. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	7,28,000	6,88,000	6,70,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	3,66,000	3,92,000	3,08,000
6. United Provinces . . .	12,09,308	12,37,933	13,13,672	15,65,000	13,86,000	13,65,000
7. Punjab . . .	6,67,752	7,40,542	7,55,148	7,97,000	8,22,000	10,25,000
8. Madras . . .	33,39,685	32,25,801	34,14,882	35,10,000	31,80,000	32,09,000
9. Bombay . . .	20,63,089	20,00,417	20,04,435	22,56,000	20,00,000	26,40,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	10,12,541	10,87,339	11,09,591	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	5,91,099	6,43,235	7,06,374	...	...	...
Total . . .	1,42,59,578	1,45,99,720	1,61,19,705	1,68,64,000	1,66,75,000	1,70,14,000
TOTAL INDIA R	1,50,26,399	1,54,06,088	1,70,40,290	1,78,79,000	1,76,19,000	1,83,00,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	1,001,756	1,027,072	1,135,019	1,191,900	1,174,600	1,220,000
England . . . £	4,941	6,189	6,183	5,300	4,800	4,600
TOTAL EXPENDITURE £	1,006,697	1,033,261	1,142,202	1,197,200	1,179,400	1,224,600
Net Revenue £	728,689	796,296	809,977	777,300	904,100	805,200

REVENUE.

(a) *Imperial.*Revised, 1912-13.Budget, 1913-14.

59. The falling-off in revenue in the current year as compared with the Budget estimate occurs mainly in Port Blair and is due to a smaller demand for, and a fall in the price of, padauk timber. The Budget estimate of 1913-14 provides for a small growth in all the minor administrations.

(b) *Provincial.*Revised, 1912-13.Budget, 1913-14.

60. The Revised estimate for 1912-13 exceeds the Budget by R17.40 lakhs. The improvement is shared by all the provinces with the exception of the Punjab and Assam, where the revenue will fall short of the Budget, and of Bihar where the Budget estimate will very nearly be realised. The more important increases occur in the Central Provinces (R7 lakhs) due to the introduction of new grazing rates in certain districts, an intensity of demand for grass, and the supply of grass to Bombay in connection with the famine fodder operations; in the United Provinces (R5.55 lakhs) owing to a larger demand for timber and the consequent improvement in prices, to more extensive resin operations and to other causes; and in Burma (R2.87 lakhs), where a special receipt of R6 lakhs on account of the second instalment of the sale-proceeds of the Mergui rubber plantations obscures a shortage of R3.13 lakhs in the Budget estimate caused by an unfavourable floating season in Upper Burma in the earlier part of the year and the postponement of the recovery of a portion of the sale-proceeds of the *kheddah* elephants. The variations in the other provinces are of smaller magnitude and are generally due to an increase or a reduction in the receipts from the sale of timber and other forest produce.

61. The total revenue in 1913-14 is taken at R8.41 lakhs less than the Revised estimate of the current year. The bulk of this decrease is expected to take place in Bombay (R4.50 lakhs) and the Central Provinces (R2 lakhs) owing to a cessation of the special supply of grass required in connection with the famine fodder operations in the former province. A decline in revenue is also anticipated in Bengal and in Madras owing to the substitution of the contract system for departmental working; and in the United Provinces in view of the abnormally high sales of timber in the current year and the completion of the sale of trees killed by the drought of 1908. In Burma, Assam, Bihar and the Punjab provision has been made for a small normal growth of revenue.

EXPENDITURE.

(a) *Imperial.*Revised, 1912-13.Budget, 1913-14.

62. The expenditure in 1912-13 will fall short of the Budget provision by R71 lakh in consequence of lapses in grants in Port Blair. Budget for 1913-14 is R3.42 lakhs higher than the Revised estimate for the current year mainly owing to provision for increased outlay in connection with working plans in Port Blair and Coorg, on the eradication of lantana in the latter province, for the erection of a semi-portable saw-mill in Port Blair (R1.50 lakhs) and for Imperial expenditure (R.50 lakh) out of the special grant of R10 lakhs for agriculture and allied objects.

(b) *Provincial.*Revised, 1912-13.

63. The total Revised estimate for 1912-13 is less than the Budget by R1.89 lakh. There is a large excess of R1.66 lakhs in the Central Provinces in connection with the supply of grass to Bombay; and of R1.21 lakhs in the United Provinces owing to an expected larger payment of rent to the Raja of Tehri in consequence of an increase in the revenue from leased forests, and to the transfer of provision to this head from "26.—Scientific and other minor departments" to cover an allotment made for acquiring certain *babul* forests in the Hamirpur district out of the special Imperial grant of 1911-12 for agriculture and

allied objects. But these and smaller excesses in three other provinces, will be more than counterbalanced by a large decrease of Rs 50 lakhs in Madras owing to the curtailment of departmental operations and by lapses in grants in Burma, Bombay and Bengal.

64. The total Budget for 1913-14 is Rs 3.39 lakhs higher than the Revised Budget, 1913-14. for the current year. Increased provision has been made generally for establishment charges with reference to the sanctioned scales, as well as for special outlay on the development of forests in most of the provinces. But it is partly counterbalanced by a reduction of the expenditure in connection with famine grass operations in Bombay and the Central Provinces, and the absence of the outlay incurred from special Imperial grants in Bengal and Bihar in the current year. The Budget estimates for Burma and Assam include allotments of Rs 50 lakh and Rs 25 lakh respectively for expenditure from the special Imperial grants made in 1913-14 for agriculture and allied objects.

X AND 12.—REGISTRATION.

REVENUE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	19,387	21,565	23,398	22,000	25,000	26,000
2. Delhi . . .	...	...	...	...	10,000	19,000
3. Baluchistan . . .	2,266	2,228	2,312	2,000	2,000	2,000
4. North-West Frontier . . .	29,311	33,941	40,682	41,000	41,000	42,000
Total . . .	60,964	58,734	67,394	66,000	79,000	90,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces . . .	2,96,749	3,22,792	3,49,449	3,30,000	3,70,000	3,70,000
2. Burma . . .	1,83,005	1,99,842	2,02,499	1,95,000	2,26,000	2,21,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	90,000	93,000	93,000
4. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	16,77,000	18,51,000	19,00,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	5,88,000	5,00,000	5,90,000
6. United Provinces . . .	6,28,200	5,96,697	5,94,858	6,00,000	6,36,000	6,40,000
7. Punjab . . .	3,21,714	2,99,763	3,59,000	3,30,000	3,35,000	3,25,000
8. Madras . . .	19,37,840	19,23,477	20,57,799	20,80,000	22,85,000	23,50,000
9. Bombay . . .	7,15,489	7,55,074	7,43,182	7,35,000	7,35,000	5,00,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	9,59,199	9,67,385	10,58,653	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	13,52,720	12,59,120	12,98,213	...	...	...
Total . . .	63,94,696	63,29,091	66,20,543	65,88,000	71,40,000	72,89,000
TOTAL INDIA R . . .	64,55,660	63,87,825	66,87,937	66,54,000	72,19,000	73,79,000
Equivalent in Sterling £ . . .	430,377	425,855	445,862	442,600	481,200	491,900

EXPENDITURE.

Imperial.						
1. India General . . .	6,809	7,751	8,714	8,000	9,000	9,000
2. Delhi . . .	...	...	...	...	8,000	8,000
3. Baluchistan . . .	806	968	1,077	1,000	1,000	1,000
4. North-West Frontier . . .	9,950	9,518	10,557	11,000	11,000	11,000
Total . . .	17,565	18,237	20,348	20,000	24,000	27,000
Provincial.						
1. Central Provinces . . .	1,14,802	1,19,498	1,28,069	1,27,000	1,33,000	1,34,000
2. Burma . . .	82,222	83,855	98,040	98,000	1,02,000	1,00,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	64,000	67,000	61,000
4. Bengal new) . . .	...	...	...	10,33,000	10,55,000	11,16,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	3,24,000	3,28,000	3,34,000
6. United Provinces . . .	2,76,187	2,82,650	2,93,213	2,91,000	2,84,000	2,88,000
7. Punjab . . .	1,16,834	1,16,315	1,19,895	1,21,000	1,18,000	1,18,000
8. Madras . . .	11,72,520	12,02,785	12,48,860	12,40,000	12,51,000	12,45,000
9. Bombay . . .	3,62,301	3,77,721	3,80,184	3,75,000	3,75,000	3,67,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	6,14,769	6,39,995	6,38,221	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	7,78,634	7,74,435	8,05,919	...	...	...
Total . . .	35,18,169	35,92,254	37,03,451	36,68,000	36,99,000	37,64,000
TOTAL INDIA R . . .	35,35,734	36,10,491	37,23,829	36,88,000	37,22,000	37,91,000
Equivalent in Sterling £ . . .	235,716	240,699	248,256	245,000	248,100	252,700

Imperial.

65. Excluding Delhi, the figures of both revenue and expenditure in the two years show little variation and call for no remark.

Provincial.

66. The favourable economic conditions which have prevailed generally during the current year have led to a more rapid expansion in the demand for registration than was allowed for in framing the Budget estimate, and the Revised estimate for 1912-13 has been taken at Rs 52 lakhs higher, the improvement being shared by almost all the provinces. In view of the high collections in the current year, no allowance for any important growth of revenue in 1913-14 has been made except in Bengal and Madras and the total Budget for next year is only Rs 1.49 lakhs more than the Revised estimate for 1912-13. *Revised, 1912-13.*

67. The estimates of expenditure for the two years do not show any important variations and call for no remark. *Budget, 1913-14.*

XI.—TRIBUTES.

REVENUE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	18,87,417	22,57,990	21,31,346	20,09,000	20,61,000	19,92,000
2. Central Provinces . .	2,34,587	2,42,437	2,34,487	2,30,000	2,34,000	2,39,000
3. Burma	4,02,323	4,11,941	4,33,930	4,54,000	4,44,000	4,74,000
4. Assam . . . . .	...	...	...	50,000	50,000	50,000
5. Bengal new) . . . .	...	...	...	68,000	68,000	68,000
6. Bihar and Orissa . .	...	...	...	86,000	84,000	84,000
7. United Provinces . .	...	...	3,18,223	3,21,000	3,20,000	3,21,000
8. Punjab	3,76,800	3,76,819	1,48,283	1,45,000	1,41,000	1,44,000
9. Madras	44,96,519	44,96,519	44,96,519	44,94,000	44,97,000	44,97,000
10. Bombay	13,20,622	13,23,613	10,64,911	11,90,000	11,25,000	14,07,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	70,000	50,100	50,240	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	52,250	52,250	52,250	...	...	...
TOTAL INDIA R . . .	88,21,807	91,11,609	89,25,074	90,59,000	90,46,000	92,58,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	588,807	607,447	595,005	603,900	603,000	614,200

68. The revenue recorded under this head represents tributes received from the protected States, in several cases as a result of exchanges of territory and settlement of claims, and contributions made chiefly in lieu of former obligation to supply or maintain troops. The figures do not ordinarily show any important fluctuations from year to year except for arrears and their recovery. The Revised estimate for the current year practically repeats the Budget. The Budget estimate for 1913-14 provides for normal receipts and for the recovery of arrear contributions from Baroda.

Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

1.—REFUNDS AND DRAWBACKS.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	43,484	41,104	47,452	42,000	45,000	42,000
2. Delhi . . .	...	...	...	...	2,000	6,000
3. Baluchistan . . .	4,613	3,438	9,435	4,000	5,000	5,000
4. North-West Frontier . . .	39,694	29,207	19,945	24,000	24,000	24,000
5. Other Provinces . . .	50,86,374*	18,73,067	26,74,561	20,36,000	24,32,000	28,17,000
Total . . .	51,74,165	19,48,816	27,51,398	21,06,000	25,08,000	28,94,000
<i>Divided and Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces . . .	1,80,512	73,314	86,506	84,000	83,000	76,000
2. Burma . . .	2,29,920	2,55,456	2,47,386	2,45,000	2,84,000	2,58,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	26,000	33,000	29,000
4. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	2,51,000	2,88,000	2,61,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	70,000	84,000	78,000
6. United Provinces . . .	2,22,809	2,27,161	1,98,452	2,05,000	2,03,000	2,11,000
7. Punjab . . .	1,45,351	1,47,756	1,54,029	1,19,000	1,05,000	1,62,000
8. Madras . . .	3,21,367	3,69,321	3,91,708	2,91,000	3,46,000	3,31,000
9. Bombay . . .	9,75,977	7,47,430	7,97,376	6,50,000	7,48,000	7,22,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	79,418	1,41,000	1,17,088	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	2,73,264	2,76,060	2,90,058	...	...	...
Total . . .	23,79,118	22,37,521	22,82,755	19,77,000	22,38,000	21,28,000
TOTAL INDIA R . . .	75,53,283	41,84,337	50,34,143	40,83,000	47,46,000	45,22,000
Equivalent in Sterling £ . . .	508,552	278,956	335,610	272,200	316,400	301,500

* Includes 33,79,904 on account of Opium Refunds in Bombay.

(a) *Imperial.*

69. The wholly Imperial expenditure shown against "Other provinces" represents refunds and drawbacks in respect of wholly Imperial revenue (e.g., Opium, Salt, Customs and Tributes). The increase of Rs 4.02 lakhs in the Revised estimate over the Budget for 1912-13 occurs mainly under refunds of customs duty and is due to a change in the method of accounting in Bombay by which duty paid in advance, pending the final settlement of the amount, is now credited as revenue, instead of under a deposit head, any excess over the correct amount being charged as Refunds when it is returned to the party concerned. The Budget estimate for 1913-14 does not differ materially from the Revised for 1912-13.

Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

(b) *Divided and Provincial.*

70. The expenditure fluctuates considerably from year to year and is difficult to estimate. In 1912-13 the Budget will be exceeded by Rs 2.61 lakhs owing chiefly to special refunds of Excise revenue in Bombay and to higher refunds of Land revenue in several provinces. For 1913-14 a normal expenditure has been assumed.

Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

2.—ASSIGNMENTS AND COMPENSATIONS.

	Accounts. 1909-1910.	Accounts. 1910-1911.	Accounts. 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget. 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General	32,53,920	32,22,237	31,42,898	32,39,000	31,81,000	31,83,000
2. Delhi . . . . .	...	...	...	...	4,000	7,000
3. Baluchistan	2,02,221	2,01,679	2,01,390	2,01,000	2,01,000	2,01,000
4. North-West Frontier	19,581	18,316	17,819	18,000	21,000	18,000
5. Other Provinces	35,00,923	34,81,774	36,19,308	35,47,000	35,57,000	37,28,000
Total	69,75,628	69,24,056	69,81,415	70,05,000	69,63,000	69,42,000
<i>Divided and Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces	41,738	34,603	34,118	39,000	40,000	89,000
2. Burma	400	60	989	1,000	1,000	1,000
3. Assam . . . . .	...	...	...	32,000	32,000	33,000
4. Bengal (new) . . . . .	...	...	...	62,000	70,000	66,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . . . .	...	...	...	32,000	1,10,000	1,48,000
6. United Provinces	2,96,939	3,05,047	2,80,026	3,13,000	2,90,000	2,48,000
7. Punjab	83,655	83,391	67,676	78,000	70,000	69,000
8. Madras	5,66,220	5,33,910	5,44,337	5,60,000	5,62,000	5,39,000
9. Bombay	1,02,01,503	1,01,66,559	1,02,01,357	1,02,41,000	1,02,47,000	1,03,49,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	67,882	60,648	56,872	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	1,30,724	1,29,024	1,57,437	...	...	...
Total	1,13,89,066	1,13,18,212	1,13,42,388	1,14,18,000	1,14,30,000	1,16,02,000
TOTAL INDIA R	1,83,65,694	1,82,42,268	1,83,23,723	1,84,23,000	1,83,93,000	1,85,44,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	1,224,380	1,216,153	1,221,781	1,228,200	1,223,500	1,233,300

(a) *Imperial.*

71 The figures show little variation and call for no remark. The wholly Imperial expenditure shown against "Other Provinces" represents Opium, Salt and Customs compensations paid to Native States and Foreign Governments, as well as Miscellaneous compensations (*i.e.*, those of a general character and not intended to indemnify against loss of a particular kind of revenue) in provinces other than Bombay.

(b) *Provincial.*

72 The expenditure in 1912-13 will not differ materially from the Budget provision. The increase of R1 72 lakhs provided in the Budget for 1913-14 over the Revised estimate for the current year occurs chiefly in connection with the resumption of certain *abkari* rights in Bombay and the Central Provinces.

XII. - INTEREST RECEIPTS

	Accounts 1909-1910.	Accounts 1910-1911.	Accounts 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1912-1911.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. Interest on Imperial loans and advances	42,79,584	41,14,612	39,20,707	36,61,000	38,59,000	37,14,000
2. Profits of Paper Currency Circulation	34,70,420	34,70,420	34,70,420	31,70,000	31,70,000	34,70,000
3. Interest on over-drawn Capital of Railway Companies in India	2,60,085	27,41,654	21,21,272	25,27,000	26,47,000	30,77,000
4. Interest charged to Capital on advances to Railway Companies	3,57,338	4,33,384	5,33,823	6,29,000	6,07,000	5,17,000
5. Miscellaneous items	76,384	81,913	1,42,703	1,04,000	1,43,000	1,20,000
TOTAL R	1,02,44,011	1,03,42,013	1,01,88,928	1,03,91,000	1,07,94,000	1,09,34,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces	2,54,085	2,52,242	2,17,160	1,91,000	1,90,000	1,81,000
2. Burma	1,13,423	1,09,321	1,26,882	1,47,000	1,47,000	1,48,000
3. Assam . . . . .	...	...	...	18,000	15,000	47,000
4. Bengal (now) . . . . .	...	...	...	5,06,000	4,91,000	4,85,000
5. Bihar and O.issa . . . . .	...	...	...	2,18,000	2,18,000	1,94,000
6. United Provinces	16,19,373	15,59,518	13,58,202	11,92,000	13,72,000	11,72,000
7. Punjab	3,54,733	2,87,617	2,58,248	3,00,000	2,70,000	2,31,000
8. Madras	3,58,249	4,18,916	4,42,611	4,45,000	4,70,000	4,62,000
9. Bombay	13,59,192	13,69,088	11,08,205	10,98,000	11,23,000	14,04,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	1,51,093	1,72,760	1,60,798	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	7,94,808	7,48,081	7,20,044	...	...	...
TOTAL R	50,04,826	49,57,573	43,87,150	41,45,000	42,62,000	43,27,000
TOTAL INDIA R	1,52,48,837	1,52,99,586	1,45,76,078	1,45,36,000	1,49,56,000	1,52,61,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	1,016,589	1,053,306	9,91,739	969,100	997,700	1,017,160
<i>ENGLAND.</i>						
1. Profits of Paper Currency Circulation	37,374	37,374	68,001	78,200	78,200	78,200
2. Interest realized from investment of cash balances	130,070	371,403	376,975	180,000	388,000	192,000
3. Interest on advances to the Imperial Bank of Persia for the purpose of the Persian Government . . . . .	...	...	12,771	...	...	...
4. Miscellaneous	310	356	377	...	...	...
TOTAL £	167,754	412,133	457,002	258,200	466,200	270,200
TOTAL RECEIPTS £	1,184,343	1,465,439	1,448,741	1,227,300	1,463,900	1,287,360
<i>Loans and advances outstanding March 31:-</i>						
1. Imperial £	6,843,998	6,689,577	6,435,732	6,021,677	6,243,032	6,290,932
2. Provincial £	6,011,458	5,480,290	5,646,902	6,833,000	5,839,002	5,950,002

(a) India-Imperial.

73. The total revenue in 1912-13 is now expected to be Rs 13 lakhs more than the Budget estimate. The principal items contributing to this improvement are an increase of Rs 1.78 lakhs in the interest receivable in respect of

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Imperial loans and advances, mainly owing to recovery of arrears from Native States in Bombay and the credit to Imperial of the interest due from the Delhi Municipality after 1st October 1912, on loans received by it from Government; and of Rs 20 lakhs in the interest payable by railway companies on overdrafts of capital. The total Budget for 1913-14 exceeds the Revised estimate for the current year by Rs 26 lakhs, a decrease of Rs 25 lakhs in the interest recoverable from Native States due to the absence of the arrears mentioned above, being more than counterbalanced by an increase in the interest payable by railway companies in respect of overdrafts of capital.

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(b) *India-Provincial.*

Revised, 1912-13.

74. The Revised estimate for 1912-13 is Rs 17 lakhs higher than the Budget. An increase of Rs 80 lakhs is expected in the United Provinces due to recovery of arrears and a larger issue of advances for wells and of loans in certain districts; but this will be partly counterbalanced by a small net decrease in the other provinces. The Budget estimate for 1913-14 provides for a decrease

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of Rs 2 lakhs in the United Provinces owing to the absence of the arrears realised in the current year. On the other hand in Bombay there is an increase of Rs 81 lakhs owing to expected recovery of arrears from Native States and from cultivators; and the total Budget for 1913-14 is slightly higher than the Revised estimate for the current year.

(c) *England.*

Revised, 1912-13.

75. The receipts in England in the current year are expected to show a considerable improvement of Rs 31.20 lakhs (£208,000) over the Budget estimate. The whole of this increase occurs in the interest realised from the investment of the cash balances of the Home Treasury and is due to the amounts available for investment being much larger and the rate of interest higher than was estimated. The decrease of Rs 29.40 lakhs (£196,000) in the Budget estimate for 1913-14 as compared with the Revised for the current year also occurs wholly in this item of revenue. The cash balances of the Home Treasury next year are not expected to remain as high as in the current year.

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13 AND 14.—INTEREST EXPENDITURE.

	Accounts. 1909-1910.	Accounts. 1910-1911.	Accounts. 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget. 1913-1914
				Budget.	Revised.	
Interest on Debt other than that charged to Railways—						
Interest on total Debt—						
1. India	R 4,84,98,180	4,81,81,845	4,88,88,847	5,10,50,000	5,00,00,000	5,16,00,000
2. England	£ 3,238,900 5,519,180	3,208,130 5,781,558	3,259,590 5,022,689	3,403,400 5,171,700	3,338,100 6,204,100	3,438,300 5,912,800
Total	8,752,390	8,989,682	9,282,229	9,575,100	9,537,500	9,346,100
Deduct amounts charged to—						
(a) Railways :						
(i) India	R 4,22,83,760	4,30,61,629	4,56,26,525	4,86,94,000	4,97,64,000	5,37,06,000
(ii) England	£ 2,813,917 3,303,274	2,870,775 3,396,910	3,041,768 3,622,442	3,246,300 3,694,900	3,317,600 3,784,300	3,580,400 3,806,800
Total Railways	£ 6,127,191	6,267,685	6,664,210	6,941,200	7,101,900	7,387,800
(b) Irrigation :						
(i) India	R 1,42,53,630	1,50,45,994	1,59,94,080	1,69,45,000	1,74,57,000	1,84,94,000
(ii) England	£ 950,246 108,465	1,001,066 112,344	1,086,272 116,595	1,123,000 118,500	1,163,800 124,800	1,232,900 126,900
Total Irrigation	£ 1,058,711	1,115,410	1,182,867	1,241,500	1,288,600	1,359,800
Total deduction	£ 7,185,902	7,383,095	7,847,077	8,182,700	8,390,500	8,747,000
Interest on Ordinary Debt	£ 1,566,497	1,606,587	1,435,152	1,392,400	1,147,000	599,100
Distribution of above—						
Imperial	£ 1,345,455	1,406,157	1,289,316	1,186,300	946,600	394,200
Provincial	£ 221,042	200,430	195,836	206,100	200,400	204,900
Interest on other Obligations—						
On Savings Bank Balances converted at Rs15=£1	£ 381,887	405,438	451,902	499,700	508,500	555,100
Other items	£ 167,211	156,882	150,681	153,100	154,400	155,800
TOTAL	£ 548,548	562,315	602,583	652,800	660,900	710,900
GRAND TOTAL	£ 2,115,045	2,168,902	2,087,735	2,045,200	1,807,900	1,310,000
Debt outstanding, March 31—						
Sterling	£ 176,105,911	182,998,335	182,988,597	179,599,635	179,508,997	177,721,797
Rupce Debt—	R	R	R	R	R	R
4 per cent.	3,67,08,275	3,55,00,000	3,43,00,000	3,31,00,000	3,31,00,000	3,19,00,000
3½ per cent.	1,22,60,40,00	1,24,84,19,400	1,26,91,37,600	1,29,97,39,400	1,29,93,91,000	1,32,08,21,000
3 per cent.	9,89,25,800	8,58,20,800	8,44,88,100	8,37,84,800	8,11,93,100	8,36,93,100
Other Debt	1,17,60,930	1,17,81,955	1,17,10,505	1,16,84,955	1,16,70,505	1,16,31,505
Savings Bank Balances	19,48,88,468	21,14,72,500	23,78,20,070	25,69,34,500	26,29,74,070	28,44,10,070

INTEREST ON ORDINARY DEBT.

Interest on total
debt, 1912-13.

76. The expenditure in 1912-13 on account of interest payable on the public debt as a whole falls short of the Budget estimate by Rs 64 lakhs (£37,600). There is an increase of Rs 86 lakhs (£32,400) in England due to the average price of issue of the new sterling loan of the year being lower than was anticipated. But on the other hand, a decrease of Rs 50 lakhs is expected in India, mainly in consequence of a large saving in the provision for discount on the new rupee loan of the year. In the Budget of 1913-14 necessary provision has been made for a full year's interest on the sterling loan of £3 million and the rupee loan of 3 crores raised in the current year; and for the service of the new rupee loan which it is contemplated to raise in 1913-14. But the total expenditure will fall short of that in 1912-13 by Rs 28 71 lakhs (£191 400) owing to the absence of the heavy discount paid in the current year on the sterling loan issued in April 1912.

1913-14.

Transfers to Rail-
way and Irrigation
Accounts.

77. The amount of interest transferred to the Railway and Irrigation sections of the accounts depends firstly, on the capital expenditure; secondly on the actual payment of interest on that portion of the debt which has been incurred specifically on account of the construction or purchase of railways or irrigation works; and thirdly, on the rate at which interest is charged on that portion of the debt which has not been specifically raised for the above purpose. Our practice is to adopt for this adjustment the average rate of interest actually paid in respect of the whole of the non-specific debt in the latest year for which practically complete accounts are available. The result is that the rate adopted in calculating the Revised estimate for a year is generally different from that used for the Budget estimate; and this leads to a difference between the two estimates apart from that caused by a variation in the capital expenditure itself. The large increase of Rs 1 17 lakhs (£207,800) in the Revised estimate of total interest to be transferred in 1912-13, as compared with the Budget, is due partly to an increase in the rate, and partly to an increase in the amount of funds supplied by Government for capital expenditure on State Railways (*vide* paragraph 228). The increase in the amount of interest to be transferred in 1913-14 over the Revised estimate for 1912-13 is almost wholly due to the progress of capital expenditure.

Transfers to
Provincial.

78. A portion of the interest on Ordinary Debt appears in the Provincial section of the accounts. Provincial Governments are authorised to grant advances to cultivators (as well as to certain other people in special cases) under various Acts to landholders and nobilities apart from the provisions of any law, and to municipalities and local bodies (other than Presidency Corporations), out of amounts annually placed at their disposal by the Government of India. The interest actually levied on such advances is credited as Provincial revenue. But interest at $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. a year is charged to the Local Governments on the mean between the outstanding balances of the Provincial Loan Accounts at the commencement of the year and at its close; and this is done by transferring the amount so calculated from the Imperial to the Provincial section under Interest on Ordinary Debt. The differences between the Budget and the Revised estimates of the amount to be so transferred in the current year, and between the latter and the Budget estimate of 1913-14, are explained by the variations in the outstanding balances of the Provincial Loan Account as shown in the table at page 51.

Revised, 1912-13.

INTEREST ON OTHER OBLIGATIONS.

Budget, 1913-14.

79. The increase of Rs 21 lakhs (£8,100) in the Revised estimate of the current year over the Budget provision occurs almost wholly in the interest payable by the Post Office Savings Banks, the deposits in which have grown more largely than was anticipated (*vide* paragraph 262). In 1913-14 provision has been made for a further increase in the interest payable on the deposits in the Post Office Savings Banks and in the State Provident Funds, consequent on a growth in the deposits themselves.

XIII AND 15—POST OFFICE.

	Accounts. 1909-1910.	Accounts. 1910-1911.	Accounts. 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget. 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
REVENUE.						
INDIA.						
1. Sale of postage stamps for postal purposes	239,68,200	2,47,43,396	2,65,20,731	2,76,09,000	2,80,19,000	2,92,74,000
2. Commission on money orders	47,61,044	50,06,942	52,80,818	54,50,000	56,45,000	59,50,000
3. Other receipts	1,79,107	2,03,497	2,12,380	2,25,000	1,98,000	1,88,000
TOTAL . R	2,89,08,431	2,99,53,836	3,20,14,929	3,32,84,000	3,38,62,000	3,54,12,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	1,927,329	1,998,922	2,184,279	2,28,890	2,279,500	2,360,800
EXPENDITURE.						
INDIA.						
1. Establishment charges	1,93,61,083	1,93,16,325	2,07,61,690	2,07,47,000	2,07,94,000	2,10,50,000
2. Conveyance of mails	66,12,372	64,94,536	65,50,110	71,47,000	69,21,000	70,54,000
3. Stationery and Printing	12,09,062	11,63,774	9,43,033	9,86,000	10,85,000	10,50,000
4. Cost of stamps and stamp paper.	8,36,339	8,71,622	9,54,029	9,45,000	8,25,000	6,69,000
5. Other items	59,967	60,721	94,319	94,000	12,000	91,000
TOTAL . R	2,80,83,826	2,84,06,978	2,92,30,231	2,99,19,000	2,97,25,000	2,99,04,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	1,872,255	1,893,798	1,973,540	1,994,600	1,981,700	1,963,000
ENGLAND.						
1. Contribution to Eastern mail subsidy	54,588	54,588	54,588	54,600	54,600	54,600
2. Stores, etc.	739	2,506	833	...	100	8,000
TOTAL . £	55,327	57,094	55,421	54,600	54,700	62,600
TOTAL OF EXPENDITURE . £	1,927,552	1,950,892	2,008,170	2,019,200	2,036,700	2,025,600
TOTAL NET REVENUE . £	-353	46,030	127,800	169,700	223,100	303,600

REVENUE.

80. General prosperity and briskness of trade have led to a larger growth of revenue under this head in the current year than was allowed for in the Budget; and the Revised estimate shows an improvement of Rs 6.08 lakhs. In the Budget of 1913-14 provision has been made for a further moderate advance of Rs 15.20 lakhs. Revised, 1912-13.
Budget, 1913-14.

EXPENDITURE.

81. The total expenditure in 1912-13 is expected to fall short of the Budget grant by Rs 1.92 lakhs. An increase of Rs 47 lakh under establishment, mainly in consequence of the grant of grain compensation allowance, and of Rs 99 lakh under stationery and printing necessitated by the revision of a large number of postal forms will be more than counterbalanced by a lapse in the grant for conveyance of mails and by savings in the cost of stamps owing to the reduced rates now charged on their supply. The total Budget estimate for 1913-14 exceeds the Revised for the current year by Rs 3.12 lakhs only. Due provision has been made for the normal development of the operations of the Department; but it is obscured to some extent by a decrease in the stationery and printing charges arising from the absence of the special expenditure in the current year mentioned above, and by a further reduction in the cost of stamps. Revised, 1912-13.
Budget, 1913-14.

XIV AND 18—TELEGRAPH.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1913-1914.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
REVENUE.						
I. INDIAN :						
1. Message Revenue.	88 82 222	98,58,253	1,03,76,585	1,08,40,000	1,07,94,000	1,15,45,000
2. Other Revenue	33,27,074	33,46,165	36,55,083	36,35,000	37,42,000	37,50,000
TOTAL	R 1,17,09,296	1,27,04,418	1,40,31,618	1,38,75,000	1,45,36,000	1,52,95,000
	£ 780,630	846,961	935,441	925,000	969,100	1,019,700
II. INDO-EUROPEAN :						
1. Message Revenue.	17,52,281	21,66,925	21,90,149	20,00,000	24,80,000	24,85,000
2. Other Revenue	18,278	20,984	14,776	19,000	21,000	21,000
TOTAL	R 17,70,559	21,87,909	22,04,925	20,19,000	25,01,000	25,06,000
	£ 118,037	145,861	146,995	184,600	166,700	167,100
England (mainly Mes- sage Revenue).	£ 4,194	4,837	4,989	5,500	6,200	5,000
TOTAL	£ 122,231	150,198	151,984	140,100	172,900	1,2,100
GRAND TOTAL	£ 902,861	997,159	1,087,425	1,065,100	1,142,000	1,191,800
EXPENDITURE.						
I. INDIAN :						
1. Revenue	£ 766,597	748,976	785,290	835,300	821,700	864,400
2. Capital	£ 150,770	128,907	208,891	132,000	182,100	226,600
TOTAL	£ 917,367	877,883	994,181	967,300	1,003,800	1,091,000
II. INDO-EUROPEAN :						
1. Revenue	£ 72,945	99,246	97,180	114,700	112,300	121,000
2. Capital	£ 2,121	—297	2,573	12,500	5,000	18,800
TOTAL	£ 75,066	98,949	99,753	127,200	117,300	140,000
GRAND TOTAL	£ 992,433	976,832	1,093,934	1,094,500	1,121,100	1,231,000
TOTAL NET REVENUE	£ —89,582	20,327	—6,509	—29,400	20,900	—39,200

REVENUE.

Revised, 1913-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

82. Here also the favourable economic conditions of the current year have led to a larger growth of revenue than was assumed in the Budget, and improvements of Rs 6.61 lakhs and Rs 4.92 lakhs respectively are expected in the receipts of the Indian and the Indo-European Departments. The Budget estimate for 1913-14 provides for a further advance of Rs 7.59 lakhs in the revenue of the Indian Department; but in view of the very considerable development which has taken place in the receipts of the Indo-European Department in 1912-13 it is not considered prudent to budget for a further growth here next year.

EXPENDITURE.

(a) *Indian.*

83. The total expenditure in the current year is expected to exceed the *Revised, 1912-13.* Budget grant by R5.47 lakhs (£36,500). There is a saving of R2.04 lakhs (£13,600) in the revenue expenditure, due mainly to lapses in the grants for establishments and other general charges and to smaller outlay on line repairs. But this is more than counterbalanced by an increase of R7.51 lakhs (£50,100) in the capital expenditure chiefly in connection with the installation and equipment of radio offices.

84. The Budget estimate for 1913-14 is taken at R13.08 lakhs (£87,200) *Budget, 1913-14.* more than the Revised for 1912-13. There is an increase of R6.40 lakhs (£42,700) in the Revenue expenditure owing chiefly to full provision for sanctioned establishments, higher working expenses resulting from the growth in traffic, and contemplated outlay on the remodelling of existing wireless stations in the Bay of Bengal. Capital expenditure will also go up by R6.68 lakhs (£44,500) to provide for the requirements of radio stations.

(b) *Indo-European.*

85. The total expenditure in the current year will fall short of the Budget *Revised, 1912-13.* by R1.49 lakhs (£9,900), the decrease being made up of lapses of R1.13 lakhs (£7,500) and R.36 lakh (£2,400) respectively in the capital and revenue grants. The saving in the capital account is caused by the postponement for yet another year of the reconstruction of the Arabistan telegraph line and work on certain buildings in Persia, and would have been higher but for the utilisation of a portion of the available funds in the building of radio offices in the Persian Gulf.

86. The Budget estimate for 1913-14 is taken at R3.40 lakhs (£22,700) *Budget, 1913-14.* higher than the Revised for the current year. Provision has been made for capital outlay on most of the construction works postponed in the current year as well as on the radio offices, for repairs to the cable steamer, and for working expenses of the radio offices.

XV AND 17.—MINT.

	Accounts. 1909-1910.	Accounts. 1910-1911.	Accounts. 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
REVENUE.						
INDIA.						
1. Percentage chargeable on coinage of new rupees . . .	...	...	...	...	3,204,000	...
2. Profit on circulation of—						
(a) Nickel coins .	14,88,629	19,82,089	24,35,338	20,00,000	25,00,000	20,00,000
(b) Bronze coins .	...	5,36,738	9,02,671	5,00,000	15,00,000	10,00,000
3. Fees for coining dollars, etc. . .	8,16,019	8,28,591	17,92,657	5,00,000	5,00,000	5,00,000
4. Other items . . .	1,34,645	94,285	3,73,786	86,000	2,76,000	1,09,000
TOTAL { R	18,89,203	29,41,653	55,04,452	30,86,000	79,80,000	86,09,000
England { £	125,953	196,110	366,963	205,700	532,000	240,600
TOTAL £	125,953	196,110	67,1 0	205,700	532,000	240,600
EXPENDITURE.						
INDIA.						
1. Establishment charges	6,69,379	6,91,459	7,91,732	7,54,000	8,94,000	7,69,000
2. Purchase of stores	77,055	1,11,278	2,01,189	1,45,000	2,25,000	1,45,000
3. Loss on Bronze coinage	7,42,899	...	...	...	...	...
4. Loss on re-coining old silver coins	3,68,894	4,08,345	3,93,294	4,50,000	4,78,000	5,00,000
5. Other coinage losses	82,197	93,591	2,77,325	66,000	4,31,000	19,000
TOTAL { R	19,35,424	13,04,673	16,63,540	14,15,000	20,28,000	14,33,000
England { £	129,028	86,978	110,903	94,300	135,200	95,600
TOTAL £	143,753	92,349	116,507	101,400	142,300	103,700
TOTAL NET REVENUE £	-17,805	103,741	250,593	104,300	389,700	133,900

REVENUE.

Revised, 1912-13.

87. The Revised estimate for 1912-13 exceeds the Budget by R48·94 lakhs. Of this increase R32·04 lakhs are contributed by the seigniorage on the coinage of rupees from purchased silver. An important increase of R15 lakhs is also expected in the profit on the circulation of subsidiary nickel and bronze coins the demand for which has been stimulated by the activity of trade. The resumption of the coinage of new rupees will also result in an increase in the operative gains included under "Other items" in the above table, but this will be counterbalanced by an increase in the debits on account of operative losses.

Budget, 1913-14.

88. The Budget estimate for 1913-14 is taken at R43·71 lakhs less than the Revised estimate for the current year, the decrease being due to the absence of the seigniorage and other special receipts of the current year and to a moderate provision for profit on the circulation of subsidiary nickel and bronze coins.

EXPENDITURE.

Revised 1912-13.

89. The excess of R6·13 lakhs in the expenditure in the current year over the Budget estimate is caused by the heavy coinage of rupees from purchased silver. The Budget for 1913-14 provides for normal operations only.

Budget, 1913-14.

18.—GENERAL ADMINISTRATION.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
INDIA.	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. Cost of the Central Government:						
(i) Salary and expenses of the Governor-General.	10,62,546	11,78,964	11,20,868	11,66,000	11,10,000	11,54,000
(ii) Executive Council.	4,81,088	4,19,420	4,63,122	4,67,000	4,77,000	4,67,000
(iii) Legislative Council.	96,876	1,39,498	1,47,798	1,52,000	1,48,000	1,47,000
(iv) Charges of the Secretariats.	33,17,664	35,34,858	36,21,923	33,07,000	34,58,000	33,35,000
(v) Cost of administration of the Imperial headquarters at Delhi.	...	...	...	5,00,000	...	...
2. Offices of Account and Audit.	28,91,989	28,28,318	37,26,608	38,61,000	37,20,000	37,69,000
3. Currency Department and Reserve Treasury.	5,76,074	6,07,769	6,52,274	6,57,000	6,96,000	7,08,000
4. Payments to Presidency Banks for treasury and public debt work.	3,40,735	3,49,250	3,57,710	3,57,000	3,64,000	3,67,000
5. Ajmer-Merwara Administration.	3,527	1,972	6,099	2,000	9,000	3,000
6. Royal visit and Coronation Durbar.	...	1,64,454	66,66,058	...	—42,000	...
7. Delhi.	...	...	...	...	49,000	1,10,000
8. North-West Frontier Administration.	3,13,473	3,17,266	3,09,152	3,47,000	3,56,000	3,47,000
Total	90,33,972	95,41,764	1,70,71,107	1,08,16,000	1,03,45,000	1,04,07,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces.	8,42,364	8,93,760	10,69,052	8,94,000	8,65,000	9,77,000
2. Burma.	14,27,642	14,83,411	19,07,353	15,43,000	15,39,000	15,40,000
3. Assam.	...	...	...	5,70,000	5,85,000	5,62,000
4. Bengal (new).	...	...	...	22,00,000	24,50,000	23,02,000
5. Bihar and Orissa.	...	...	...	12,65,000	12,31,000	13,41,000
6. United Provinces.	16,29,833	18,22,599	19,63,228	17,16,000	17,10,000	16,90,000
7. Punjab.	10,52,403	11,32,920	13,64,724	11,69,000	12,40,000	11,58,000
8. Madras.	12,09,190	12,55,461	18,19,549	13,11,000	13,51,000	13,78,000
9. Bombay.	16,13,289	17,19,693	27,54,973	18,31,000	18,56,000	18,79,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam.	12,32,564	12,73,699	18,89,451	...	...	...
Bengal (old).	19,01,892	19,91,451	29,18,186	...	...	...
Total	1,09,09,177	1,15,72,994	1,56,86,466	1,24,99,000	1,28,57,000	1,28,27,000
TOTAL INDIA	1,99,43,149	2,11,14,758	3,27,57,573	2,33,15,000	2,32,02,000	2,32,34,000
Equivalent in Sterling	£	£	£	£	£	£
	1,329,543	1,407,651	2,183,838	1,554,800	1,546,800	1,543,900
<i>ENGLAND.</i>						
1. Cost of the Secretary of State's establishment, etc.	265,546	275,777	266,435	260,700	260,700	269,400
2. Stores, etc., for India.	60,690	72,832	114,442	89,000	119,700	180,600
3. Royal Visit and Coronation Durbar.	...	...	61,476	...	400	...
TOTAL	£	£	£	£	£	£
	326,236	348,609	442,403	349,700	380,800	390,000
GRAND TOTAL	£	£	£	£	£	£
	1,655,779	1,756,260	2,626,241	1,904,500	1,927,600	1,933,900

(a) *India—Imperial.*

90. In the Budget estimate for the current year, a lump provision of R5 lakhs was made for the cost of administration of the Imperial Capital at Delhi. The expenditure incurred on this account is being recorded under the proper heads. Only the pay and other charges of the Chief Commissioner and his secretariat staff will be recorded under this head; and these are expected to amount to R49 lakh in 1912-13, while a provision of R1.10 lakhs has been made in next year's Budget to meet a full year's expenditure.

Revised, 1912-13.

91. Omitting the Delhi figures, the total expenditure in 1912-13 will amount to R102.96 lakhs against a Budget grant of R103.16 lakhs, while the Budget for 1913-14 has been fixed at R102.97 lakhs. In the current year an excess of R1.51 lakhs under Secretariat charges, due to the employment of additional officers in connection with special work and to higher expenditure on the enquiry on prices, will be more than counterbalanced by a saving of R.59 lakh in the tour expenses of His Excellency the Viceroy, and by a net decrease of R1.02 lakhs in the cost of the Account and Currency Departments caused by the debit of a portion of the expenditure to the public works heads of account. In 1913-14 there will be a reduction of R1.23 lakhs in the Secretariat charges owing to the termination of the enquiry on prices and the absence of special expenditure incurred in the current year; but on the other hand normal provision has been made for the Viceregal tours and there will be an increase in the cost of the Account and Currency Departments in consequence of the contemplated separation of the functions of the Comptroller-General and the appointment of a Controller of Currency.

Budget, 1913-14.

(b) *Provincial.*

Revised, 1912-13.

92. The total Revised for 1912-13 exceeds the Budget estimate by R3.58 lakhs. The bulk of the increase occurs in Bengal (R2.50 lakhs) and is due to the retention of the Board of Revenue and to higher expenditure on the purchase of pictures and the supply of crockery for Government House, and on the movement of records. The balance of the excess, *viz.*, R1.08 lakhs, is contributed by certain arrear charges in connection with the Royal visit in the Punjab and some other provinces and by other unimportant variations.

Budget, 1913-14.

93. The total Budget for 1913-14 does not differ materially from the Revised estimate for the current year. Savings of R1.48 lakhs and R.82 lakh respectively are expected in Bengal and the Punjab owing to the absence of the non-recurring and special expenditure incurred in the current year. But these will be nearly counterbalanced by an increase of R1.10 lakhs in Bihar and Orissa where provision has been made for a full year's cost of the Executive Council and certain head-quarters establishments; and of R1.12 lakhs in the Central Provinces caused by lump allotments for the provincial Legislative Council, a separate Inspector-General of Registration, the revision of the office of the Excise Commissioner, and a new railway saloon for the Chief Commissioner.

(c) *England.*

94. The excess over the Budget grant in the current year and the further increase provided for in the Budget of 1913-14 are mainly due to higher demands for currency note forms.

**XVI A and 19 A.—LAW AND JUSTICE—COURTS OF LAW.
EXPENDITURE.**

	Accounts, 1900-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	3,38,868	3,27,377	3,27,874	3,24,000	3,44,000	3,19,000
2. Delhi . . .	...	...	...	...	59,000	1,75,000
3. Baluchistan . . .	27,965	25,940	22,627	20,000	21,000	21,000
4. North-West Frontier	5,52,444	5,70,203	5,79,956	6,34,000	6,05,000	6,33,000
Total . . .	9,19,277	9,23,520	9,30,457	9,78,000	10,30,000	11,48,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
Central Provinces . . .	24,75,896	25,05,636	25,24,371	26,02,000	25,78,000	26,24,000
2. Burma . . .	45,35,553	47,51,221	47,65,081	48,68,000	48,98,000	49,36,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	8,35,000	8,93,000	9,38,000
4. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	98,39,000	98,05,000	96,10,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	31,19,000	31,34,000	32,58,000
6. United Provinces . . .	59,05,155	60,05,317	62,23,925	61,27,000	61,59,000	62,98,000
7. Punjab . . .	38,06,523	40,93,760	42,17,010	42,68,000	41,66,000	41,86,000
8. Madras . . .	56,99,101	59,22,747	62,19,485	63,36,000	66,11,000	66,94,000
9. Bombay . . .	52,61,867	54,54,392	55,30,750	56,60,000	56,79,000	58,72,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	44,68,912	47,37,231	49,95,683	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	82,75,093	85,91,040	92,76,209	...	...	...
Total . . .	4,04,28,105	4,20,61,347	4,37,52,444	4,36,54,000	4,39,23,000	4,43,16,000
TOTAL INDIA . R . . .	4,13,47,382	4,29,84,867	4,46,82,901	4,46,82,000	4,49,53,000	4,54,64,000
Equivalent in Sterling £ . . .	2,756,492	2,865,658	2,978,860	2,975,500	2,996,900	3,030,900
England . . . £ . . .	257	1,372	3,136	1,600	3,200	600
TOTAL £ . . .	2,756,749	2,867,030	2,981,996	2,977,100	3,000,100	3,031,400

REVENUE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	1,34,338	1,14,414	1,56,543	1,18,000	91,000	1,08,000
2. Delhi . . .	...	...	...	...	9,000	19,000
3. Baluchistan . . .	22,117	26,784	23,847	23,000	24,000	24,000
4. North-West Frontier . . .	1,02,499	1,21,617	1,10,253	1,16,000	1,11,000	1,11,000
Total . . .	2,58,954	2,62,815	2,90,643	2,57,000	2,35,000	2,62,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces . . .	2,21,084	2,19,404	2,06,735	2,14,000	2,25,000	2,12,000
2. Burma . . .	4,66,537	4,36,046	5,50,824	5,40,000	6,35,000	6,03,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	1,25,000	1,20,000	1,25,000
4. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	7,25,000	7,77,000	7,65,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	2,75,000	2,80,000	2,83,000
6. United Provinces . . .	6,01,793	6,15,943	6,48,725	6,34,000	6,88,000	6,69,000
7. Punjab . . .	4,06,377	4,35,651	4,34,527	4,38,000	4,73,000	4,63,000
8. Madras . . .	8,44,767	9,44,878	9,22,333	9,62,000	10,07,000	9,95,000
9. Bombay . . .	5,98,944	6,07,512	6,57,846	6,55,000	7,15,000	7,15,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	4,00,907	4,43,257	4,51,058	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	6,00,716	6,94,441	6,92,199	...	...	...
Total . . .	41,41,125	43,97,132	45,64,247	45,68,000	49,15,000	48,80,000
TOTAL R . . .	44,00,079	46,59,947	48,54,890	48,25,000	51,50,000	50,92,000
Equivalent in Sterling £ . . .	293,839	310,663	328,660	321,700	343,300	339,500

EXPENDITURE.

(a) *Imperial.*

95. Excluding Delhi, the figures show little variation and call for no remark.

(b) *Provincial.*

Revised, 1912-13.

96. The total Revised estimate for 1912-13 exceeds the Budget by R2.69 lakhs. A large increase of R2.75 lakhs is expected in Madras owing mainly to larger expenditure on grain compensation allowance, the opening of an additional number of temporary subordinate courts and the deputation of a district judge to enquire into the adequacy of the judiciary outside Madras city. The variations in the other provinces are unimportant and do not call for any remark.

Budget, 1913-14.

97. The total Budget for 1913-14 is R3.93 lakhs higher than the Revised estimate for 1912-13. A portion of this increase, viz., R1.43 lakhs, is nominal and is caused by the transfer to this head of certain charges which used to be recorded under "3.—Land Revenue" (see paragraph 28); the balance is shared by all the provinces except Bengal and Madras. Provision for the full cost of sanctioned establishments and for normal growth has been made in all the provinces. Special allotments have also been made in the Central Provinces for the appointment of a third additional Judicial Commissioner; in the Punjab for the re-organisation of the superior judicial service; and in Bengal for the regrading of munsiffs. The resultant increase in expenditure will, however, be more than counterbalanced in Bengal by a large saving in law charges owing to the absence of the special expenditure incurred in the current year in connection with political cases; and in Madras by a reduced provision for grain compensation allowance and the absence of certain items of special outlay incurred in 1912-13.

REVENUE.

(a) *Imperial.*

98. The figures do not show any important variation and call for no remark.

(b) *Provincial.*

Revised, 1912-13.

99. The total revenue in the current year is expected to exceed the Budget estimate by R3.47 lakhs, the improvement occurring mainly under copying fees realised in cash in Burma, and under magisterial fines in several provinces. The Budget for 1913-14 provides for normal receipts in all the provinces.

Budget, 1913-14.

XVI B and 19 B.—LAW AND JUSTICE—JAILS.

EXPENDITURE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	16,73,617	17,25,414	16,50,412	17,34,000	16,84,000	16,86,000
2. Delhi . . .	...	...	...	...	25,000	65,000
3. Baluchistan . . .	30,516	32,049	31,365	31,000	31,000	32,000
4. North-West Frontier .	1,25,123	1,31,858	1,47,837	1,49,000	1,59,000	1,59,000
TOTAL	18,29,256	18,89,321	18,29,614	19,14,000	18,98,000	19,44,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces . .	6,14,104	5,67,818	5,52,623	5,75,000	5,74,000	6,00,000
2. Burma . . .	12,31,706	13,37,102	13,00,332	13,84,000	16,08,000	15,18,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	2,69,000	2,52,000	3,03,000
4. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	20,74,000	19,60,000	20,79,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . .	...	...	...	13,34,000	11,67,000	12,68,000
6. United Provinces . .	20,69,685	19,09,412	18,09,551	19,44,000	18,80,000	19,52,000
7. Punjab . . .	11,08,045	11,09,187	12,27,575	11,90,000	13,03,000	12,63,000
8. Madras . . .	14,86,801	15,09,425	14,06,873	15,00,000	14,00,000	14,10,000
9. Bombay . . .	10,04,522	10,98,691	11,35,616	11,54,000	11,40,000	11,50,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	9,24,423	9,73,988	9,31,926	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	25,29,72	23,73,312	23,86,870	...	...	...
TOTAL	1,09,67,006	1,08,78,935	1,08,11,372	1,14,24,000	1,12,84,000	1,14,83,000
TOTAL INDIA . Rs.	1,27,96,262	1,27,68,256	1,26,40,986	1,33,38,000	1,31,77,000	1,34,27,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	853,0	851,217	842,732	889,200	878,500	895,100
England . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL £	853,084	851,217	842,732	889,200	878,500	895,100

REVENUE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	2,80,841	3,26,914	3,49,438	3,43,000	3,40,000	3,48,000
2. Delhi . . .	...	...	...	...	10,000	20,000
3. Baluchistan . . .	910	723	734	1,000	1,000	1,000
4. North-West Frontier .	17,679	22,978	24,911	24,000	25,000	25,000
TOTAL	2,98,930	3,50,615	3,75,083	3,68,000	3,76,000	3,94,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces . .	2,55,980	1,99,821	2,27,714	2,30,000	2,30,000	2,30,000
2. Burma . . .	4,03,312	3,95,279	4,34,550	4,08,000	4,49,000	4,58,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	1,05,000	85,000	94,000
4. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	6,89,000	6,57,000	6,59,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . .	...	...	...	5,00,000	5,25,000	5,25,000
6. United Provinces . .	3,41,367	3,38,884	3,62,682	3,50,000	3,50,000	3,55,000
7. Punjab . . .	2,54,384	2,82,194	3,40,887	3,43,000	3,23,000	3,10,000
8. Madras . . .	5,05,999	5,50,962	4,63,989	5,00,000	4,90,000	4,90,000
9. Bombay . . .	1,88,636	2,29,460	2,19,507	2,49,000	2,50,000	2,50,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	3,44,203	2,77,259	3,23,598	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	8,59,113	9,42,393	10,52,305	...	...	...
TOTAL	31,53,394	32,16,252	34,25,232	33,74,000	33,59,000	33,71,000
TOTAL Rs.	34,52,324	5,66,867	38,00,315	37,43,000	37,35,000	37,65,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	230,155	237,791	253,354	249,500	249,000	251,000

EXPENDITURE.

(a) *Imperial.*

100. Excluding Delhi, the figures do not show any important variation and call for no remark.

(b) *Provincial.*Revised, 1912-13.

101. The total expenditure in 1912-13 will be R1.40 lakhs less than the Budget estimate. Savings in the allotments for the cost of dietary as well as in other grants are expected in all the provinces except Burma and the Punjab. In Burma and the Punjab, the Budget grants will be exceeded by R2.24 lakhs and R1.13 lakhs respectively, owing to a larger outlay on dietary in the former province caused by necessary replenishment of stock and a rise in the price of paddy, and in the latter to the conversion of the Lahore district jail into a central jail and an increase in the jail population.

Budget, 1913-14.

102. The total Budget estimate for 1913-14 exceeds the Revised estimate for the current year by R1.99 lakhs. The grants are generally based on the sanctioned scale of establishments, the probable jail population, the cost of dietary and the requirements for raw materials. Special provision has been made in Bengal for the improvement and stimulation of industries in the jails in the eastern districts; while in the Punjab due allowance has been made for the conversion of the district jails at Rohtak and Jhang into subsidiary jails.

REVENUE.

103. The figures show little variation and call for no remark.

XVII AND 20.—POLICE.

EXPENDITURE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	9,24,880	8,44,699	9,51,235	9,37,000	9,54,000	9,81,000
2. Delhi . . .	...	...	...	...	1,80,000	3,50,000
3. Baluchistan . . .	4,16,376	4,09,057	4,19,242	5,09,000	4,29,000	6,85,000
4. North-West Frontier . . .	15,42,553	15,59,953	16,31,901	16,25,000	15,93,000	17,43,000
Total . . .	28,83,809	28,13,709	30,02,378	30,71,000	31,56,000	37,59,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces . . .	31,05,058	32,06,136	33,45,697	33,00,000	33,26,000	33,43,000
2. Burma . . .	1,17,84,023	1,20,98,874	1,26,76,077	1,26,86,000	1,27,95,000	1,30,23,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	22,27,000	21,01,000	23,81,000
4. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	90,00,000	85,55,000	97,82,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	40,89,000	41,39,000	46,48,000
6. United Provinces . . .	1,02,13,040	1,03,31,881	1,10,42,737	1,12,17,000	1,09,69,000	1,24,10,000
7. Punjab . . .	53,51,066	56,50,190	58,83,176	58,08,000	57,86,000	60,18,000
8. Madras . . .	74,13,011	80,45,389	84,59,187	82,91,000	87,30,000	87,46,000
9. Bombay . . .	93,10,473	94,80,081	1,01,50,083	1,02,26,000	1,02,40,000	1,01,56,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	50,81,804	53,00,014	53,09,322	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	81,57,764	83,16,042	85,70,975	...	...	...
Total . . .	6,04,16,237	6,24,23,607	6,60,17,209	6,68,31,000	6,66,21,000	7,03,12,000
TOTAL INDIA . . .	6,33,00,046	6,52,42,316	6,90,19,587	6,98,92,000	6,97,77,000	7,40,71,000
Equivalent in Sterling £ England . . .	4,230,003 2,308	4,349,488 2,124	4,601,303 1,671	4,659,500 1,500	4,651,800 1,600	4,933,100 1,500
TOTAL . . .	4,232,303	4,351,612	4,602,977	4,661,000	4,653,400	4,939,600

REVENUE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	46,888	22,300	25,283	14,000	19,000	21,000
2. Delhi . . .	...	...	...	...	1,000	3,000
3. Baluchistan . . .	...	36,704	11,243	11,000	10,000	17,000
4. North-West Frontier . . .	82,029	1,11,774	22,980	24,000	31,000	23,000
Total . . .	1,28,917	1,70,778	59,506	49,000	61,000	64,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces . . .	25,335	34,341	32,530	29,000	29,000	30,000
2. Burma . . .	2,05,720	2,23,409	2,78,707	2,37,000	5,02,000	4,75,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	1,08,000	1,10,000	1,14,000
4. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	2,00,000	2,50,000	1,62,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	38,000	65,000	46,000
6. United Provinces . . .	92,183	91,288	91,032	1,01,000	93,000	81,000
7. Punjab . . .	5,69,311	5,80,991	1,78,998	1,56,000	1,92,000	1,77,000
8. Madras . . .	4,91,735	4,64,526	4,75,445	4,66,000	4,98,000	4,76,000
9. Bombay . . .	3,95,538	3,88,422	3,88,184	2,31,000	2,45,000	2,35,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	1,35,571	1,39,807	1,42,913	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	1,89,940	1,87,030	1,93,750	...	...	...
Total . . .	31,05,333	31,59,814	17,81,559	15,64,000	19,84,000	17,96,000
TOTAL . . .	32,24,250	33,30,592	18,41,035	16,13,000	20,45,000	18,60,000
Equivalent in Sterling £ . . .	148,960	155,373	122,733	107,500	136,300	124,000

EXPENDITURE.

(a) Imperial.

Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

104. Of the figures shown against Delhi about R 75 lakh in the current year and R1 lakh in 1913-14 represent additional expenditure required for the policing of the new Imperial Capital. Excluding the Delhi figures, the expenditure in 1912-13 is expected to fall short of the Budget estimate by R 95 lakh owing chiefly to lapses in the allotments for police reforms in Baluchistan and the North-West Frontier Province; while the increase of R4 33 lakhs in the Budget for 1913-14 over the Revised estimate for the current year is mainly due to full provision for the re-organisation of the police in Baluchistan and for the conversion of the border military police in the North-West Frontier Province into frontier constabulary, in accordance with schemes which have been recently sanctioned by the Secretary of State.

(b) Provincial.

Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

105. The total expenditure in 1912-13 is expected to fall short of the Budget provision by R2 lakhs only. There is a saving of R4 45 lakhs in Bengal owing to the entire or partial lapse of the lump provisions for the strengthening of the Calcutta city police, the re-organisation of the river police in Eastern Bengal and other police reforms; of R2 48 lakhs in the United Provinces due to a partial utilisation of certain lump allotments for police reforms; and of R1 26 lakhs in Assam owing to the non-utilisation of lump provisions for the re-organisation of the river and other police. In the Punjab also, there will be a small lapse, a saving of about a lakh caused by the transfer of Delhi being partly counterbalanced by increased expenditure on the maintenance of municipal police buildings. On the other hand, there will be a large increase of R4 39 lakhs in Madras in connection with the payment of grain compensation allowance and more rapid progress with the recruitment of additional constables, and of R1 30 lakhs in Burma as the net result of higher cost of punitive police and smaller outlay on the purchase of supplies for the military police; while unimportant excesses over Budget grants are also expected in Bombay, Bihar and Orissa and the Central Provinces.

106. The Budget estimate for 1913-14 is taken at R36 91 lakhs higher than the Revised for the current year. A considerable increase of R14 41 lakhs is expected in the United Provinces chiefly in consequence of lump provisions of R11 02 lakhs for the payment from Provincial revenues of village police in Oudh and Gorakhpur, of R3 43 lakhs for the conversion into regular constabulary of the village police in Act XX towns (which is partly counterbalanced by a saving of R1 65 lakhs in the police grants now made to the towns), and of R1 15 lakhs for expenditure in connection with the registration and better control of criminal tribes. Provision for the full cost of the police reforms already introduced, as well as for the introduction of further reform measures has been made in all the provinces; but in Madras and Bombay the resultant growth in expenditure is obscured by smaller allowance for grain compensation and other indirect famine charges.

REVENUE.

(a) Imperial.

107. The figures do not show any important variations and call for no remark.

(b) Provincial.

Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

108. The increase of R4 20 lakhs over the Budget estimate in the current year is mainly due to higher recoveries on account of punitive police employed in certain tracts in Burma, Bengal, Bihar and the Punjab. These special receipts are expected to fall off in the ensuing year; and this accounts for the decrease of R1 88 lakhs in the Budget of 1913-14 as compared with the Revised estimate for the current year.

XVIII AND 21.—PORTS AND PILOTAGE.

EXPENDITURE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Burma . . .	12,57,081	12,42,302	12,64,225	12,86,000	13,00,000	12,49,000
2. Assam . . .	...	...	...	49,000	58,000	52,000
3. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	12,08,000	13,32,000	13,74,000
4. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	1,000	1,000	1,000
5. Madras . . .	17,776	22,112	21,133	21,000	26,000	24,000
6. Bombay . . .	59,421	78,185	70,513	68,000	68,000	2,83,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	1,07,065	91,447	1,13,059	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	11,79,559	12,33,468	12,55,725	...	...	...
Total India R	26,30,902	26,67,514	27,24,603	26,33,000	27,85,000	29,83,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	174,727	177,834	181,644	175,500	185,700	198,900
England . . .	52	56	46	100	100	100
TOTAL . . .	174,779	177,890	181,690	175,600	185,800	199,000

REVENUE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Burma . . .	4,81,538	5,00,723	4,83,315	5,00,000	5,05,000	4,98,000
2. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	15,98,000	1,62,000	18,00,000
3. Madras . . .	...	...	105	...	...	...
4. Bombay . . .	87,821	89,816	97,033	95,000	1,00,000	1,00,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	9,405	8,037	9,509	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	15,22,485	15,99,367	16,80,000	...	...	...
TOTAL R	21,01,249	21,97,963	22,76,052	21,93,000	23,68,000	23,98,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	140,083	146,531	151,737	146,200	155,900	159,900

EXPENDITURE.

109. The increase of R1.52 lakhs in the expenditure in 1912-13 over the Budget provision is expected mostly in Bengal and will result from higher charges of pilot establishments necessitated by the briskness of trade and from the postponement of certain recoveries in connection with the agency for Government consignments. The total Budget for 1913-14 is R1.98 lakhs higher than the Revised estimate for the current year, mainly in consequence of provision in Bombay for the construction of two additional lights off the Sind Coast.

REVENUE.

110. The excess of R1.75 lakhs in the current year over the Budget estimate is caused by higher pilotage receipts in Bengal which more than counterbalance the increase in expenditure mentioned above. The Budget estimate for next year does not differ materially from the Revised for 1912-13.

XIX AND 22.—EDUCATION.

EXPENDITURE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1912-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India, General	6,06,607	6,76,034	5,04,754	84,65,000	7,42,000	14,41,000
2. Delhi	...	...	...	...	26,000	85,000
3. Baluchistan	...	90,722	46,688	64,000	1,32,000	1,25,000
4. North-West Frontier	86,816	1,61,796	1,60,938	2,04,000	6,40,000	3,51,000
Total	6,92,923	9,28,552	7,12,380	87,33,000	15,80,000	20,02,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces	16,55,200	17,26,086	17,82,548	22,80,000	20,73,000	33,96,000
2. Burma	18,99,675	18,75,312	20,21,678	27,34,000	23,33,000	40,03,000
3. Assam	...	...	...	9,85,000	9,77,000	18,05,000
4. Bengal (new)	...	...	...	78,45,000	76,69,000	1,34,88,000
5. Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	26,25,000	25,90,000	48,71,000
6. United Provinces	28,58,786	38,45,241	48,31,149	52,30,000	57,08,000	76,75,000
7. Punjab	22,61,241	22,83,817	23,55,101	28,63,000	33,37,000	44,83,000
8. Madras	87,90,145	39,86,111	45,66,701	58,88,000	65,60,000	97,63,000
9. Bombay	43,52,501	47,53,732	48,72,655	66,85,000	59,15,000	95,25,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	23,38,345	21,10,708	31,58,532	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	55,68,818	55,21,364	58,54,112	...	...	...
Total	2,47,24,706	2,66,02,401	2,94,47,531	3,71,28,000	3,71,62,000	5,90,09,000
TOTAL INDIA R	2,54,17,629	2,75,30,953	3,01,59,911	4,58,61,000	3,88,92,000	6,10,11,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	1,694,509	1,835,397	2,010,661	3,067,400	2,579,400	4,067,400
England	10,363	10,846	10,528	10,500	10,500	10,500
TOTAL	1,704,872	1,846,243	2,021,189	3,067,900	2,589,900	4,07,900

REVENUE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1912-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>	R	R	R	R	R	R
1. India, General	28,914	26,311	30,607	28,000	29,000	32,000
2. Delhi	...	...	...	...	6,000	11,000
3. Baluchistan	...	10,026	13,451	14,000	14,000	16,000
4. North-West Frontier	681	676	848	1,000	1,000	...
TOTAL	29,595	37,013	44,906	43,000	50,000	59,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces	1,09,308	1,17,185	1,46,171	1,75,000	2,00,000	2,15,000
2. Burma	1,74,808	2,00,099	2,17,684	2,30,000	2,41,000	2,50,000
3. Assam	...	...	...	88,000	1,18,000	1,10,000
4. Bengal (new)	...	...	...	6,84,000	7,40,000	7,51,000
5. Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	1,95,000	2,27,000	2,49,000
6. United Provinces	2,48,092	4,26,511	4,85,072	5,12,000	5,02,000	5,47,000
7. Punjab	4,67,788	3,72,418	3,91,768	4,20,000	4,29,000	4,64,000
8. Madras	1,79,600	2,25,386	3,22,612	3,48,000	2,90,000	2,82,000
9. Bombay	4,09,209	4,22,292	4,54,345	5,00,000	4,98,000	5,34,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	63,282	3,22,331	3,39,867	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	6,06,453	6,31,361	6,81,788	...	...	...
TOTAL	24,58,540	27,17,533	30,89,247	31,48,000	32,40,000	34,02,000
TOTAL INDIA R	24,88,185	27,54,546	30,84,158	31,91,000	32,90,000	34,61,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	166,875	183,636	205,610	212,700	219,300	230,700

EXPENDITURE.

(a) *Imperial.*

111. Excluding the Delhi figures, the Revised estimate for 1912-13 is R72.29 lakhs less than the Budget, while the Budget for 1913-14 exceeds the Revised estimate for the current year by R4.13 lakhs. The large decrease in the current year is nominal and is due to the assignment to the Governments of the major provinces of the bulk of the lump grants aggregating R80 lakhs for which provision was made in the Budget under this head. The portion of the grants so assigned amounts to R73.66 lakhs; and only R6.34 lakhs have been allotted to the minor administrations, *viz.*, R3.84 lakhs from the residue of the recurring grant of R60 lakhs, and R2.50 from the non-recurring grant of R65 lakhs. The former sum will be devoted mostly to the promotion of primary and secondary education; while of the latter, R2 lakhs have been given to the Islamia College at Peshawar and the remainder will be spent mainly on hostels. The Imperial expenditure in 1912-13, excluding Delhi, will thus exceed by R1.37 lakhs the allotments available for the purpose, either from specific provisions made in the Budget or from the special grants mentioned above. The excess is mainly due to higher demands for primary schools in the North-West Frontier Province and Coorg, and a special grant has been given recently to meet the expenditure. *Revised, 1912-13.*

112. The increase of R4.13 lakhs in the Imperial expenditure in 1913-14 mentioned in the preceding paragraph, is due to provision under this head of R6.65 lakhs out of the additional recurring grant of R55 lakhs from Imperial revenues for the promotion of education (*vide* paragraph 19). The sum has either been allotted to the minor administrations or else is being held in reserve for future distribution and it is partially obscured by the absence of the non-recurring Imperial outlay incurred in the current year. *Budget, 1913-14.*

(b) *Provincial.*

113. The total expenditure in 1912-13 is expected to exceed the Budget provision by R.34 lakh. The figures under this head, however, are not a complete index to the progress made by the various Local Governments with outlay on the promotion and reform of education out of the special Imperial grants—recurring and non-recurring—given in recent years; for a considerable portion of the expenditure is incurred in the Public Works Department on buildings, etc., and is recorded in the accounts under “45.—Civil Works.” The Budget estimate for the current year provided for an expenditure of R23.50 lakhs out of the recurring assignments amounting to R55.96 lakhs which have already been sanctioned, and of R47.50 lakhs out of non-recurring grants of previous years, or in the aggregate R71 lakhs. It is now expected that R40.82 lakhs of the recurring grant will be spent during the year and R67.22 lakhs against the non-recurring. The total expenditure in 1912-13 from special Imperial grants of both classes will then amount to R108.04 lakhs of which R75.23 lakhs will be recorded under “22.—Education” and the remaining R32.81 lakhs under other heads of account, mostly Civil Works. Thus there is an excess of R4.23 lakhs (R75.23—R71.00 lakhs) in expenditure from special grants, and as the aggregate expenditure under the head is R.34 lakh more than the Budget provision, there will apparently be a lapse of about R4 lakhs only in the ordinary grants, distributed among the nine provinces. *Revised, 1912-13.*

114. The Budget estimate of 1913-14 provides for a very considerable advance of R218.47 lakhs over the Revised estimate for 1912-13. Of this increase R186.48 lakhs will be financed from the special contributions made from Imperial revenues. The outlay chargeable to Education from the grants already distributed among provincial Governments will be higher by R32.48 lakhs than the similar expenditure in the current year; while special allotments to the extent of R154 lakhs will be made from the additional grants which it is now proposed to give, the whole of the recurring grants and about one-third of the non-recurring ones being made available for expenditure in 1913-14. Even so, there will remain a balance of R31.99 lakhs representing the contribution made from the growth of Provincial revenues to foster the progress of education. Provision has been made in every province for increased expenditure on scholarships and stipends, educational grants to local bodies, and the *Budget, 1913-14.*

strengthening and improvement of the inspecting and teaching staff. In the Central Provinces, lump allotments have been entered for the taking over by Government of the Morris College, Nagpur, and of certain anglo-vernacular schools, and for the improvement of selected vernacular schools. In the other provinces, the following additions have been made to the provincial budgets with reference to the recommendations of the respective Finance Committees :

	R	
Assam	1.58 lakhs,	mainly for additional grants-in-aid and scholarships, the establishment of a Madrasa at Sylhet, and the improvement of the Cotton College.
Bengal . . . . .	.73 lakh,	mainly for reform of the system of training in the eastern districts, taking over by Government of certain industrial schools and revision of pay of Sub-Inspectors of schools.
Bihar and Orissa . . . . .	.42 "	mainly for additional grants-in-aid.
United Provinces	1.67 lakhs,	mainly for increased educational grants to local bodies.
Punjab	2.77 "	mainly for the taking over by Government of the Lawrence School, Murree, equipment and staff of the Mayo School of Art, revision of the subordinate educational service, additional subordinate inspecting staff, and a new school at Lyallpore.
Madras	5.98 "	mainly for grants to aided secondary and other schools for equipment, subsidies to local bodies for equipment of elementary schools, equipment of training schools for masters, opening of additional girls' schools, and development of the College of Engineering.
Bombay	2.31 "	mainly for the opening of new primary schools and the improvement of primary education.

115. The unspent balance of the various Imperial grants already made will stand at R68.59 lakhs at the end of the current year, *viz.*, R15.14 lakhs of the recurring grant and R53.45 lakhs of the non-recurring one. The Local Governments propose to spend in 1913-14 R40.98 lakhs of the latter sum, as well as R11.66 lakhs of the former, in addition to the recurring grant of R55.96 lakhs for next year. The total outlay from the old grants will thus amount to R108.60 lakhs, of which the whole excepting a small sum of R.89 lakh has been provided under "22—Education." The unspent balance of the old grants at the close of next year will stand at R15.95 lakhs only.

116. The following statement gives the distribution among the provinces of the provision of R107.71 lakhs under this head mentioned above and of the allotments aggregating 154 lakhs entered in next year's Budget for expenditure from the additional Imperial grants—non-recurring and recurring—which it is now proposed to make.

		[Lakhs of rupees].	
		Allotments from Imperial grants.	
		Old grants.	New grants.
Central Provinces		5.31	8.50
Burma		7.17	11.00
Assam		2.16	6.00
Bengal		36.93	38.00
Bihar and Orissa		7.09	16.50
United Provinces		11.52	20.50
Punjab		7.01	11.50
Madras		12.25	28.00
Bombay		18.27	19.00
		107.71	154.00

REVENUE.

Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

117 The growth in the number of students in Government schools and colleges generally accounts for the improvement in the receipts in the current year and the further increase allowed for in the Budget of 1913-14.

23—ECCLESIASTICAL.

EXPENDITURE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	1,92,225	1,68,524	1,58,915	1,73,000	1,68,000	1,71,000
2. Delhi . . .	...	...	...	...	8,000	14,000
3. Baluchistan . . .	...	25,449	23,247	24,000	22,000	25,000
4. Central Provinces . . .	84,330	79,479	75,975	1,05,000	98,000	1,05,000
5. Burma . . .	1,23,337	1,24,470	1,27,942	1,44,000	1,33,000	1,42,000
6. Assam . . .	...	...	...	20,000	18,000	22,000
7. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	1,94,000	1,84,000	1,85,000
8. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	37,000	31,000	33,000
9. United Provinces . . .	2,60,160	2,49,723	2,53,015	2,62,000	2,75,000	2,70,000
10. Punjab . . .	2,33,104	2,44,915	2,33,743	2,16,000	2,43,000	2,44,000
11. North-West Frontier . . .	36,932	31,416	38,938	41,000	39,000	43,000
12. Madras . . .	3,3,965	3,37,659	3,58,011	3,81,000	3,22,000	3,47,000
13. Bombay . . .	3,38,613	3,52,009	3,43,918	3,45,000	3,35,000	3,30,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	38,435	40,105	41,192	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	2,24,161	2,09,411	2,07,805	...	...	...
TOTAL INDIA R	18,53,312	18,65,160	18,62,747	19,72,000	18,80,000	19,32,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	123,554	124,344	124,183	131,500	1,25,300	1,28,800
England . . . £	489	334	305	400	400	400
TOTAL £	124,043	124,678	124,488	131,900	1,25,700	1,29,200

118. The figures do not call for any remark. A saving of R 92 lakh is expected in the total grant for the current year owing to the absence of the Lord Bishop of Madras and some of the Senior Chaplains on leave. In 1913-14 provision has been made for the sanctioned scale of expenditure.

Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

XX AND 24.—MEDICAL.

EXPENDITURE.

	Accounts. 1909-1910.	Accounts. 1910-1911.	Accounts. 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget. 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	7,02,069	6,82,219	5,78,682	12,51,000	15,75,000	16,39,000
2. Delhi . . .	...	87,627	1,02,752	1,00,000	5,35,000	1,85,000
3. Baluchistan . . .	...	...	...	...	1,55,000	1,13,000
4. North-West Frontier . . .	1,83,890	2,19,909	1,50,170	8,09,000	4,91,000	3,32,000
Total . . .	8,85,759	9,89,755	8,31,604	16,60,000	27,56,000	22,69,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces . . .	7,98,349	8,73,489	9,81,058	14,51,000	13,79,000	21,78,000
2. Burma . . .	2,23,201	19,08,768	21,88,473	3,95,000	20,52,000	29,75,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	8,02,000	6,18,000	8,88,000
4. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	36,45,000	26,88,000	41,01,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	10,94,000	7,69,000	19,20,000
6. United Provinces . . .	16,86,585	17,88,777	30,03,278	30,79,000	30,00,000	41,23,000
7. Punjab . . .	13,37,758	14,19,589	21,20,062	31,50,000	27,37,000	28,68,000
8. Madras . . .	17,84,589	18,22,60	18,27,119	29,39,000	19,87,000	39,14,000
9. Bombay . . .	24,97,108	22,72,567	24,30,270	41,75,000	23,09,000	48,96,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	10,23,998	10,67,623	12,57,082	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	23,30,148	24,27,015	25,00,729	...	...	...
Total . . .	1,34,63,736	1,35,79,988	1,63,26,671	2,35,80,000	1,75,97,000	2,78,63,000
TOTAL INDIA R . . .	1,43,69,495	1,45,69,743	1,71,58,275	2,52,40,000	2,03,53,000	3,01,32,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	957,967	971,316	1,143,885	1,682,700	1,356,800	2,008,800
England . . . £	9,886	11,606	11,005	12,100	12,100	12,000
TOTAL £	967,833	982,922	1,155,490	1,694,800	1,368,900	2,020,800

REVENUE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	7,743	6,021	5,868	6,000	6,000	5,000
2. Delhi . . .	...	...	...	...	1,000	3,000
3. Baluchistan . . .	...	1,711	1,694	2,000	2,000	2,000
4. North-West Frontier . . .	660	620	98	...	...	...
TOTAL	8,403	8,352	7,658	8,000	9,000	10,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces . . .	8,551	9,400	15,568	13,000	19,000	19,000
2. Burma . . .	63,951	76,876	1,02,072	90,000	1,14,000	1,14,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	14,000	18,000	20,000
4. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	3,61,000	4,30,000	3,70,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	13,000	16,000	20,000
6. United Provinces . . .	37,687	46,408	54,592	52,000	65,000	1,00,000
7. Punjab . . .	45,793	49,589	50,157	48,000	54,000	64,000
8. Madras . . .	1,21,733	1,24,719	1,27,382	1,28,000	1,52,000	1,26,000
9. Bombay . . .	2,23,245	2,36,064	2,44,092	2,40,000	3,26,000	2,56,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	56,689	46,230	50,508	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	2,90,056	3,45,728	3,37,817	...	...	...
TOTAL	8,52,705	9,35,014	9,82,168	9,59,000	11,97,000	10,84,000
TOTAL INDIA R	8,61,108	9,43,366	9,89,826	9,67,000	12,06,000	10,94,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	57,407	62,891	65,988	64,500	80,400	72,900
England . . . £	628	806	859	800	800	700
TOTAL £	58,235	63,697	66,847	65,300	81,200	73,600

EXPENDITURE.

(a) Imperial.

(i) Delhi.

119. The figures shown against Delhi in the two years are made up as follows :—

	Revised, 1912-13.	Budget, 1913-14.
	[Lakhs of rupees.]	
(1) Ordinary expenditure on services taken over from the Punjab	35	55
(2) Additional grant for hospital and conservancy charges necessitated by the move of the offices of the Government of India to Delhi. . . .	...	80
(3) Special non-recurring contribution to the Municipality for the improvement of sanitation	5.00	...
(4) Special recurring allotment in aid of sanitary expenditure, representing Delhi's share of the Imperial sanitation grant of Rs 45 lakhs . . . .	...	50
	5.35	1.85

(ii) Other Provinces.

120. Excluding the Delhi figures, the Revised estimate for 1912-13 exceeds the Budget by Rs 5.61 lakhs. The latter, however, included a reserve provision of Rs 2.30 lakhs for contributions to Provincial Governments for the improvement of sanitary services. These contributions have been paid during the year where necessary, by assignments of Imperial land revenue; and the true increase in expenditure recorded under this head in 1912-13 over the Budget provision therefore amounts to Rs 7.91 lakhs. This excess is more than accounted for by the following special grants not included in the Budget, which have been given to municipalities and other local bodies in minor administrations for non-recurring outlay on the improvement of sanitation.

	R
Bangalore	4.00 lakhs.
Peshawar	2.00 "
Indore	2.00 "
Quetta ... ..	.50 "
Coorg ... ..	.25 "
	8.75 "

On the other hand there will be a lapse of Rs 84 lakh in the ordinary grants for plague and other expenditure.

121. The Budget estimate for 1913-14 is Rs 1.37 lakhs less than the Revised estimate for the current year. The latter, however, includes non-recurring expenditure amounting to Rs 10.77 lakhs made up of Rs 8.75 lakhs mentioned above and Rs 2.02 lakhs in Ajmer, Coorg and Bangalore which were provided in the current year's Budget. The real increase in next year's grant over the Revised estimate for 1912-13 thus amounts to Rs 9.40 lakhs. Nearly the whole of this excess is accounted for by the provision of Rs 9.25 lakhs for the portions of the special Imperial appropriations for sanitation and medical relief (*vide* paragraphs 18 and 24) which will be utilised for research or allotted to

minor administrations, or else held in reserve for future disposal. The distribution of this amount among the minor administrations, etc., is given below :

(1) Allotments out of the recurring Imperial grant of R45

lakhs for sanitation :—

	Lakhs of R
North-West Frontier Province	50
Bangalore	50
Research fund	5.00
Reserve	2.00
	<hr/> 8.00

(2) Allotments out of the non-recurring Imperial grant of R10

lakhs for hospitals, etc. :—

North-West Frontier Province	25
Reserve	1.00
	<hr/> 1.25
	<hr/> 9.25

(b) *Provincial.*

Revised, 1912-13.

122. The Budget estimate for the current year included special allotments under this head aggregating about R75½ lakhs for outlay from the non-recurring Imperial grants made in 1910-11 and 1911-12 for sanitary and other medical expenditure. Out of these allotments R66 lakhs are expected to be spent in 1912-13; but only about R26 lakhs of the outlay will be recorded under this head, the balance being shown under Civil Works. This explains the bulk of the decrease of R59.83 lakhs in the Revised estimate as compared with the Budget. The balance is mainly due to lapses in the grants for ordinary and plague expenditure in several provinces, the non-utilisation of the provision of R2 lakhs made in Madras for contribution to the Edward VII Memorial Fund Committee in connection with the construction of a hospital and sanatorium for consumptives, the record under Civil Works of a portion of the expenditure in connection with special sanitation schemes in Bombay for which provision was made in the Budget under the Medical head, and the partial utilisation of the grant for the development of the Grant Medical College in the same province.

Budget, 1913-14.

123. The Budget estimate for 1913-14 exceeds the Revised for the current year by no less than R102.66 lakhs. The latter, however, includes about R26 lakhs of expenditure out of certain special Imperial grants given in 1910-11 and 1911-12 while only R13 lakhs on this account remain to be incurred under this head in 1913-14. The real increase in expenditure in 1913-14 over that in the current year will thus amount to R115½ lakhs. Of this excess about R4 lakhs are explained by the provision under this head in Bombay of the full amount of the recurring Imperial contribution of R4.5 lakhs made in 1908-09 for special sanitation schemes; and R95½ lakhs represent allotments made out of (1) the non-recurring Imperial subvention of R150 lakhs for sanitation in 1912-13, (2) the recurring Imperial subvention of R36.50 lakhs in 1913-14 for the same purpose and (3) the non-recurring Imperial subvention in 1913-14 for hospitals and medical education (*vide* paragraphs 18, 21 and 24). The whole of the last two subventions, as well as one-third of the first subvention, have been made available for expenditure in 1913-14, the sums added under this head to the Budget estimates of the several provinces being as shown below.

Province.	Lakhs of R		
	Sanitation.	Hospitals, etc.	Total.
Central Provinces	6.50	1.50	8.00
Burma	6.50	1.50	8.00
Assam	1.50	.25	1.75
Bengal	11.75	1.00	12.75
Bihar and Orissa	6.25	.50	6.75
United Provinces	15.25	1.00	16.25
Punjab	8.75	.50	9.25
Madras	15.00	1.50	16.50
Bombay	15.00	1.00	16.00
Total	86.50	8.75	95.25

124. The balance of the increase in the Budget estimate for 1913-14 over the Revised for the current year, amounting to Rs 16½ lakhs, represents the contribution from provincial resources proper for the development of the various beneficial services whose charges are recorded under this head. Provision has generally been made for the full cost of sanctioned establishments; and for increased expenditure on medical colleges, hospitals and dispensaries, as well as on measures for the prevention of plague and malaria. The Madras Budget again provides for the payment of the contribution of Rs 2 lakhs to the Edward VII Memorial Committee mentioned above; while in the Central Provinces a special allotment has been made for a medical school at Nagpur.

125. The following table shows the progress made by the Provincial Governments in utilising the various non-recurring grants made from Imperial revenues in 1910-11 and 1911-12 in aid of sanitary and medical expenditure.

Province.	Grants to end of 1911-12.	To end of 1911-12.	EXPENDITURE.				Total.
			In 1912-13 (Revised) recorded under		In 1913-14 (Budget) recorded under		
			Medical.	Other heads.	Medical.	Other heads.	
Central Provinces	6.00	1.00	3.50	...	1.50	...	6.00
Burma	11.00	1.52	...	1.93	...	7.55	11.00
Assam	3.96	1.98	1.16	1.15	.67	...	3.96
Bengal	25.55	5.69	1.00	15.25	3.61	...	25.55
Bihar and Orissa	7.82	1.20	...	2.43	4.19	...	7.82
United Provinces	18.50	9.48	9.02	...	...	...	18.50
Punjab	* 11.17	* 1.59	* 6.50	...	3.08	...	11.17
Madras	12.25	2.00	...	10.25	...	...	12.25
Bombay	12.75	2.00	...	9.25	...	1.50	12.75
Total	109.00	26.46	20.18	40.26	13.05	9.05	109.00

* Exclude grants earmarked for the Central Research Fund.

REVENUE.

(a) Imperial.

126. The figures show little variation and call for no remark.

(b) Provincial.

127. The increase of Rs 2.38 lakhs over the Budget estimate is due to the receipt of special contributions aggregating Rs 1.49 lakhs in Bengal, Bombay and Madras from the Indian Research Fund for anti-malarial expenditure, and to a general improvement in hospital receipts and medical college fees. In the Budget of 1913-14, the absence of the special contributions obscures the provision for normal growth in some of the provinces.

Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

25.—POLITICAL.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	58,19,919	84,88,401	61,56,080	58,12,000	62,35,000	68,23,000
2. Delhi . . .	...	...	...	...	42,000	8,000
3. Baluchistan . . .	22,69,291	22,70,805	23,47,655	23,94,000	23,44,000	24,21,000
4. North-West Frontier .	30,53,873	31,44,973	30,61,756	31,67,000	30,42,000	32,49,000
5. Punjab . . .	6,46,986	6,13,208	6,28,668	6,71,000	6,54,000	6,85,000
6. Other Provinces . . .	5,54,796	6,20,037	5,59,940	5,70,000	5,58,000	5,89,000
TOTAL . . .	1,18,44,8	1,51,37,424	1,27,54,099	1,26,14,000	1,28,75,000	1,32,70,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces . . .	45,615	28,991	32,431	36,000	40,000	38,000
2. Burma . . .	4,03,949	4,26,369	4,51,115	4,33,000	7,88,000	5,75,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	92,000	5,67,000	12,82,000
4. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	34,000	33,000	27,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	53,000	51,000	53,000
6. United Provinces . . .	5,617	9,877	6,273	4,000	5,000	10,000
7. Madras . . .	1,12,312	96,421	1,02,709	94,000	98,000	92,000
8. Bombay . . .	4,76,016	4,72,953	4,32,446	4,74,000	4,44,000	5,46,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	89,952	1,22,731	5,38,984	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	51,943	62,041	57,779	...	...	...
TOTAL . . .	11,85,304	12,19,883	16, 1,787	12,20,000	20,26,000	25,73,000
TOTAL INDIA . R	1,30,30,159	1,63,56,307	1,43,75,886	1,38,34,000	1,49,01,000	1,58,43,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	868,677	1,090,454	958,389	922,800	993,400	1,056,200
England . . . £	6,450	5,016	9,769	4,000	9,600	22,800
TOTAL . £	875,127	1,095,470	968,158	926,800	1,003,000	1,079,000

128. The Imperial outlay shown against "Other Provinces" consists of the charges of the Political Residency at Aden and certain other expenditure—mainly in connection with political refugees and State prisoners—in several provinces.

(a) *Imperial.—India and England.*

Revised, 1912-13.

129. The excess of R3.45 lakhs over the Budget provision in 1912-13 is chiefly due to India's share of certain special expenditure in Muscat and Persia in connection with the suppression of the arms traffic and the buoying and lighting of the Persian Gulf, and to charges in connection with the State entry of His Excellency the Viceroy into Delhi. An increase of R1.28 lakhs in the cost of the political agencies in Native States owing mainly to higher payment of salaries in accordance with the scheme for the re-organisation of the Indian Political Department will be met by savings on this account as well as in the charges of frontier militia in the North-West Frontier Province. The Budget estimate for 1913-14 is R5.93 lakhs higher than the Revised estimate for the current year, in spite of the absence of the expenditure incurred in 1912-13 in connection with the State entry at Delhi, the excess being due to provision for increased expenditure in Muscat and Persia on the special services mentioned above, as well as for a full year's charges of the Kurram and Waziristan militia, and of the Zhob militia and certain district levies in Baluchistan, in accordance with schemes of re-organisation which have been recently sanctioned.

Budget, 1913-14.

(b) *Provincial.*

Revised, 1912-13.

130. The increase of R8.06 lakhs in the Revised over the Budget estimate for the current year is caused wholly by special expenditure in Burma

and Assam on political missions and surveys in the north-east frontier and for arrangements made for the administration and proper control of the Assam frontier. The further growth of expenditure amounting to Rs 47 lakhs which has been provided in the Budget of 1913-14, arises chiefly from similar causes. Next year's outlay in Burma on this account is expected to be over Rs 2 lakhs less than in the current year; but on the other hand, necessary allotments have been made in Assam for a full year's cost of the frontier agencies as well as for a continuance of the survey and exploration operations. As has been already mentioned in paragraphs 15 and 25, Imperial subventions have been given to both the Provincial Governments to compensate them for the special expenditure for which no provision has been made in their financial settlements. The increased provision of Rs 1.02 lakhs in the Bombay Budget for 1913-14 is mainly due to provision for the re-organisation of the Bombay Political Department.

Budget, 1913-14.

XXI AND 26.—SCIENTIFIC AND OTHER MINOR DEPARTMENTS.

EXPENDITURE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Bud et.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General	54,57,101	55,31,183	53,18,986	58,54,000	51,59,000	58,64,000
2. Delhi	13,780	12,730	66,150	45,000	57,000	31,000
3. Baluchistan	39,279	88,717	79,438	82,000	74,000	92,000
4. North-West Frontier	2,72,575	9,14,787	14,51,752	3,14,000	5,79,000	3,67,000
5. Other Provinces						
TOTAL	57,82,735	62,77,416	69,16,326	62,95,000	58,74,000	63,69,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces	4,32,729	4,43,936	5,63,365	6,99,000	6,70,000	7,25,000
2. Burma	4,27,888	3,81,363	4,40,234	6,60,000	5,38,000	6,62,000
3. Assam . . . . .	...	...	...	2,30,000	1,60,000	3,67,000
4. Bengal (new) . . . . .	...	...	...	17,13,000	17,07,000	17,15,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . . . .	...	...	...	5,00,000	3,94,000	5,17,000
6. United Provinces	11,44,571	10,10,638	11,51,320	13,15,000	12,80,000	13,60,000
7. Punjab	7,01,968	6,65,617	7,71,228	10,75,000	8,75,000	13,89,000
8. Madras	13,36,626	13,82,185	13,36,188	17,37,000	18,83,000	18,23,000
9. Bombay	8,02,170	8,58,420	10,84,209	10,93,000	9,83,000	13,37,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	4,54,033	4,51,867	4,45,124	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	12,20,110	13,47,063	13,53,166	...	...	...
TOTAL	65,20,145	65,40,989	71,44,882	90,22,000	84,90,000	98,95,000
TOTAL INDIA	1,23,02,880	1,28,18,405	1,40,61,208	1,53,17,000	1,43,64,000	1,62,64,000
Equivalent in Sterling £ England (mainly stores)	820,192	854,560	937,414	1,021,100	957,600	1,084,300
TOTAL	81,204	23,485	23,791	28,400	26,000	28,900
TOTAL	851,396	878,045	961,205	1,049,500	983,600	1,113,200

REVENUE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General	2,66,909	1,73,182	2,74,080	2,80,000	1,69,000	1,70,000
2. Delhi . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	2,000
3. Baluchistan	960	788	849	1,000	2,000	2,000
4. North-West Frontier	77	88	872	7,000	2,000	6,000
5. Punjab . . . . .	...	...	...	...	70,000	...
TOTAL	2,67,946	1,79,053	2,75,801	2,88,000	2,43,000	1,80,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces	94,288	96,041	94,029	1,02,000	1,10,000	1,32,000
2. Burma	4,389	9,199	7,805	9,000	10,000	15,000
3. Assam . . . . .	...	...	...	25,000	20,000	24,000
4. Bengal (new) . . . . .	...	...	...	3,83,000	2,76,000	2,26,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . . . .	...	...	...	28,000	26,000	34,000
6. United Provinces	1,27,521	1,44,828	1,60,522	1,49,000	1,50,000	1,63,000
7. Punjab	1,08,979	1,09,437	1,06,095	1,20,000	1,22,000	1,99,000
8. Madras	5,41,143	6,60,363	6,41,764	6,29,000	6,16,000	6,53,000
9. Bombay	78,877	1,20,695	1,13,202	1,06,000	1,10,000	1,25,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	45,534	41,784	45,051	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	3,46,717	3,31,178	2,39,540	...	...	...
TOTAL	13,47,447	15,03,520	14,22,008	15,51,000	14,40,000	15,71,000
TOTAL INDIA	16,15,393	16,82,573	16,97,809	18,39,000	16,83,000	17,51,000
Equivalent in sterling £ England	107,693	112,172	113,187	122,600	112,200	116,800
TOTAL	1,745	1,260	998	1,100	800	800
TOTAL	109,438	113,432	114,185	123,700	113,000	117,600

Details of expenditure shown against "Imperial" in the preceding table.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget. 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
(a) Scientific—						
i. Survey of India .	28,58,801	27,80,226	25,80,259	28,95,000	26,25,000	29,49,000
ii. Geological Survey .	3,12,877	2,94,806	3,07,997	3,06,000	3,05,000	3,10,000
iii. Inspector of Mines .	1,19,265	98,194	1,11,004	1,11,000	97,000	1,13,000
iv. Meteorological Survey .	3,93,821	4,04,727	3,85,054	4,00,000	3,97,000	4,63,000
v. Archaeological Survey .	2,01,966	2,18,414	2,22,020	2,41,000	2,39,000	2,74,000
vi. Central Museum .	1,17,473	1,38,430	1,75,269	1,52,000	1,54,000	1,43,000
vii. Bacteriology .	1,95,608	2,13,967	2,07,272	2,17,000	1,79,000	2,10,000
viii. Central Research and X-Ray Institutes .	1,51,033	1,71,980	1,65,716	1,88,000	1,47,000	1,65,000
ix. Other items .	58,104	1,02,474	67,317	68,000	61,000	66,000
(b) Agricultural—						
i. Agriculture .	4,72,726	4,73,362	5,25,633	5,38,000	5,64,000	7,98,000
ii. Veterinary charges .	4,96,230	4,89,498	4,90,030	5,48,000	4,89,000	4,14,000
iii. Other items .	12,844	29,025	1,369	13,000	17,000	30,000
(c) Statistics—						
i. Bureau of Com- mercial Intelli- gence, and other charges .	1,94,232	1,76,553	1,73,872	1,60,000	1,58,000	1,55,000
ii. Census .	18,222	4,87,319	13,08,525	2,39,000	2,18,000	25,000
(d) Miscellaneous—						
i. Imperial Library .	47,815	46,742	41,059	42,000	40,000	45,000
ii. Examinations .	53,429	62,022	61,846	57,000	52,000	55,000
iii. Inspector of Explosives .	78,644	75,899	74,885	77,000	70,000	77,000
iv. Controller of Patents .	...	...	6,218	39,000	29,000	42,000
v. Actuary to Govern- ment of India .	...	...	...	...	6,000	26,000
vi. Other items .	10,245	13,778	10,981	9,000	17,000	9,000
TOTAL R	57,82,735	62,77,416	69,16,326	62,95,000	58,74,000	63,69,000

EXPENDITURE.

131. The figures shown against "Other Provinces," in the table at page 78 represent expenditure incurred in the several provinces in connection with ethnographical surveys, census operations, and the pay and allowances of officers borne on the cadre of the Imperial Civil Veterinary Department, as well as the cost of the Archaeological Department in Burma.

(a) Imperial—India and England.

132. The decrease of R4.57 lakhs in the Revised estimate for 1912-13 as *Revised, 1912-13.* compared with the Budget is caused by the employment of survey detachments on frontier explorations, the cost of which is debited under the Political head, as well as by ordinary lapses in grants of the Survey of India, the Imperial Veterinary and certain other Departments. The larger saving in the Budget grant shown against "India General" in the table on page 78 and the considerable excess over the grant for "Other provinces" are due firstly to the transfer from the "India" books to those of the Accountant General, Punjab, of the charges of the Hissar Cattle Farm and of the veterinary officer employed in investigating camel diseases consequent on the transfer of their control to the Punjab Government; and secondly to allotments having been made for expenditure in the various provinces from the lump provision for census charges in the "India" estimates. The transactions of the Hissar farm will continue to be treated as Imperial in the current year; but from 1913-14 the charges exclusive of the salaries of Imperial veterinary officers, as well as the receipts, will become Provincial.

Budget, 1913-14.

133. The total Budget estimate for 1913-14 is higher than the Revised for the current year by R5 38 lakhs; and if allowance is made for the saving of R1 93 lakhs in census charges and for the transfer to the Provincial account of R1 31 lakhs of the expenditure of the Hissar Cattle Farm the true increase amounts to R8 62 lakhs. Of this excess, R3 24 lakhs are expected in the charges of the Survey Department owing to the return of the survey detachments from frontier explorations and to full provision for the re-organisation of the Provincial Service which has been recently sanctioned by the Secretary of State; while R2 90 lakhs represent the portion of the special grant for agriculture and allied objects which will be devoted to Imperial outlay under this head. Otherwise, the grants of the various departments have been generally fixed with reference to normal operations and the sanctioned scale of establishments. R 40 lakh of the special grant has been allotted to the Meteorological Department and the balance of R2 50 lakhs will be spent on the Pusa Institute and on bacteriological laboratories.

*(b) Provincial.*Revised, 1912-13.

134. The Budget estimate for the current year provided for an outlay of R14 lakhs out of the non-recurring Imperial grants of R20 lakhs for agriculture and allied objects and of 2 lakhs for the bacteriological institute in Burma made in 1911-12. The probable expenditure of Local Governments on this account in 1912-13 is likely to amount to R14 15 lakhs, as the higher outlay in Bengal and Madras on the purchase of quinine will more than cover the lapses in other provinces. Only R9 53 lakhs of the expenditure will however be recorded under this head, the balance being recorded under Forests (R2 34 lakhs), Medical (R 27 lakh) and Civil Works (R2 01 lakhs). This mainly explains the decrease of R5 32 lakhs in the Revised estimate as compared with the Budget, the remainder being due to ordinary lapses in grants.

Budget, 1913-14.

135. The total Budget for next year is R14 05 lakhs higher than the Revised estimate of 1912-13. An expenditure of R6 30 lakhs is expected to be incurred in 1913-14 out of the balance of the special Imperial grants mentioned above, of which R4 74 lakhs will be recorded under this head. Provision has also been made for an outlay of R5 85 lakhs out of the non-recurring Imperial grants for the improvement of agriculture which will be given in 1913-14; and R1 31 lakhs of the increase in the Punjab represent charges of the Hissar cattle farm which will be met from Imperial revenue surrendered to the Provincial Government. The total expenditure under this head met from special Imperial grants in next year's Budget thus amounts to R11 90 lakhs against a similar expenditure of R9 53 lakhs in the current year; and the increased outlay contemplated from Provincial resources proper amounts to no less than R11 68 lakhs. Substantial additions to the grants for the development of the agricultural and veterinary departments have been provided in every province. Special allotments of R1 68 lakhs have been made in Bombay for the establishment of two new seed farms, and of R1 09 lakhs in the United Provinces for a seed and three cane-sugar farms.

REVENUE.

*(a) Imperial.*Revised, 1912-13.

136. The decline of R 45 lakh expected in the receipts in the current year is caused by the discontinuance of recoveries from the Military Department for serum supplied from the Muktesar laboratory. The larger decrease shown against India in the table on page 78 and the entry against the Punjab arise in connection with the transfer of the Hissar farm to the control of the Punjab Government. The further loss of R 63 lakh in the Imperial revenue in 1913-14 is due to the transfer to the Provincial account of the receipts in connection with this farm.

Budget, 1913-14.*(b) Provincial.*Revised, 1912-13.

137. The decrease of R1 11 lakhs in the revenue in 1912-13 as compared with the Budget estimate is due almost wholly to the indents for the supply of quinine from the Cinchona Department in Bengal being much less than had been anticipated. Budget for 1913-14 provides for normal growth in receipts in every province, as well as for the credit to the Provincial account of the receipts of the Hissar farm; but in Bengal a further decline has been allowed for in the receipts of the cinchona plantations.

Budget, 1913-14.

27.—TERRITORIAL AND POLITICAL PENSIONS.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budge .	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . .	1,15,306	1,27,487	1,22,768	1,19,000	1,12,000	1,07,000
1a. Delhi . . . .	...	...	...	...	23,000	47,000
2. Baluchistan . . .	84,081	48,000	46,302	50,000	50,000	50,000
3. Central Provinces .	1,94,096	1,87,278	1,89,250	1,92,000	1,92,000	1,92,000
4. Burma	1,58,792	1,65,418	1,50,959	1,65,000	1,61,000	1,58,000
5. Assam . . . . .	...	...	...	5,000	5,000	5,000
6. Bengal (new) . .	...	...	...	8,11,000	7,66,000	7,66,000
7. Bihar and Orissa .	...	...	...	54,000	54,000	54,000
8. United Provinces .	7,89,717	8,25,329	7,99,263	7,88,000	7,80,000	8,05,000
9. Punjab	1,43,351	1,47,850	1,35,266	1,42,000	1,18,000	94,000
10. North-West Frontier	61,665	60,206	63,444	62,000	64,000	62,000
11. Madras	3,85,307	3,77,369	3,24,831	3,56,000	3,42,000	3,55,000
12. Bombay	5,16,540	5,80,430	5,48,984	5,24,000	5,24,000	5,42,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	9,643	9,014	9,420	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	8,89,046	8,49,031	8,48,899	...	...	...
TOTAL INDIA . R	82,97,544	83,77,212	82,89,416	82,68,000	81,91,000	82,39,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	219,836	225,148	215,981	217,900	212,700	215,900
England £	13,750	10,858	11,100	11,100	11,300	11,100
TOTAL . . £	233,586	236,006	227,081	229,000	224,000	227,000

138. The variations in the figures are unimportant and call for no remark.

28—CIVIL FURLOUGH AND ABSENTEE ALLOWANCES.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
India . . . R	3,680	6,273	19,597	8,000	16,000	12,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	242	418	1,807	800	1,100	800
England . . . £	397,574	394,893	424,435	404,000	409,000	404,000
TOTAL . . £	397,816	395,811	425,742	404,500	410,100	404,800

139. The figures show little variation and call for no remark. Almost the whole of the expenditure recorded under this head is incurred in England. Leave allowances of officers paid in India are charged to the same head as their salaries, and the small sums shown against India represent leave allowances of officers lent to Foreign States, etc.

XXII AND 29.—SUPERANNUATION.

EXPENDITURE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General	9,15,558	9,32,913	9,95,017	10,00,000	10,17,000	10,11,000
1a. Delhi	...	...	...	...	80,000	1,00,000
2. Baluchistan	12,062	14,341	13,975	10,000	21,000	17,000
3. North-West Frontier	1,19,415	1,22,001	1,35,228	1,30,000	1,47,000	2,38,000
4. Other Provinces	1,23,891	1,19,682	1,06,754	1,00,000	1,05,000	1,00,000
TOTAL	11,71,826	11,88,937	12,50,974	12,40,000	13,70,000	15,35,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces	6,15,979	6,76,899	7,24,164	7,70,000	7,75,000	7,90,000
2. Burma	7,01,693	7,75,519	8,03,470	8,70,000	8,74,000	8,77,000
3. Assam	...	...	...	2,20,000	2,42,000	2,35,000
4. Bengal (new)	...	...	...	28,46,000	29,08,000	30,20,000
5. Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	7,85,000	7,82,000	8,20,000
6. United Provinces	29,01,294	29,51,127	30,37,146	30,80,000	31,60,000	32,00,000
7. Punjab	16,78,165	17,57,504	18,71,378	19,81,000	18,89,000	19,20,000
8. Madras	24,2,338	25,23,021	25,98,314	26,94,000	27,20,000	28,20,000
9. Bombay	28,85,259	29,94,745	31,38,669	32,40,000	33,80,000	35,00,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	7,34,541	8,00,212	8,63,089	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	27,12,983	27,87,151	29,16,661	...	...	...
TOTAL	1,46,46,252	1,52,71,178	1,59,52,891	1,64,86,000	1,66,95,000	1,77,77,000
TOTAL INDIA	Rs. 1,58,18,078	1,64,60,116	1,72,03,865	1,77,26,000	1,80,65,000	1,88,12,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	1,054,538	1,097,341	1,143,924	1,181,700	1,204,300	1,254,100
England	£ 2,089,502	2,048,548	2,040,496	2,063,000	2,074,000	2,077,000
TOTAL	£ 3,094,040	3,145,889	3,187,420	3,244,700	3,278,300	3,331,100

RECEIPTS.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General	2,91,348	3,08,811	3,18,587	2,81,000	3,03,000	3,08,000
2. Baluchistan	2,823	2,758	3,448	3,000	3,000	3,000
3. North-West Frontier	12,008	17,704	19,420	20,000	18,000	18,000
4. Other Provinces	8,90,361	9,13,517	8,95,188	9,07,000	9,30,000	9,39,000
TOTAL	11,86,550	12,42,785	12,36,643	12,11,000	12,60,000	12,63,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces	62,208	78,136	91,430	90,000	1,11,000	1,43,000
2. Burma	25,342	24,494	22,594	25,000	20,000	20,000
3. Assam . . . . .	...	...	...	4,000	4,000	5,000
4. Bengal (new) . . . . .	...	...	...	42,000	46,000	42,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . . . .	...	...	...	29,000	18,000	18,000
6. United Provinces	1,13,154	99,493	88,002	92,000	70,000	86,000
7. Punjab	87,045	62,344	78,973	67,000	84,000	81,000
8. Madras	79,84	85,837	87,537	85,000	88,000	90,000
9. Bombay	2,66,646	3,24,321	3,41,588	3,65,000	3,70,000	3,80,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	10,116	10,160	10,140	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	66,558	64,392	66,359	...	...	...
TOTAL	7,10,253	7,49,227	7,84,623	7,99,000	8,11,000	8,68,000
TOTAL INDIA Rs.	18,96,803	19,92,012	20,21,266	20,10,000	20,71,000	21,31,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	126,453	133,801	134,751	134,000	138,100	142,100
England	65,838	62,688	66,719	65,100	68,100	64,600
TOTAL £	192,086	196,489	201,470	199,100	201,200	206,700

140. The figures of Imperial revenue shown against "Other Provinces" represent the receipts of certain abolished funds, the assets and liabilities of which were taken over by the Government, as well as the subscriptions paid by members of the Indian Civil Service for securing certain pensionary benefits for their families. The charges on account of such pensions as well as of the pensions of the abolished funds are recorded in the accounts as Imperial expenditure.

EXPENDITURE.

Revised, 1912-13.

141. The growth in the pension charges in 1912-13, both in India and in England, has exceeded the provision made on this account in the Budget, a part of the increase being caused by a larger demand for commutation of pensions.

Budget, 1913-14.

The estimates for next year provide for the normal growth of the retired list and for the grant of pensions and gratuities to discharged officers and men of the disbanded Border Military Police in the North-West Frontier Province.

REVENUE.

142. The variations in the figures are unimportant and call for no remark.

XXIII AND 30.—STATIONERY AND PRINTING.

EXPENDITURE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. Central Stationery Office	2,73,459	2,53,854	2,56,521	2,60,000	2,49,000	2,41,000
2. Stationery purchased for Central stores.	44,50,415	44,57,724	40,06,020	39,85,000	37,80,000	40,80,000
3. Government Presses (mainly Calcutta, Simla and Delhi)	17,56,894	16,36,549	15,71,665	15,59,000	16,65,000	16,36,000
4. Other charges	12,002	20,473	13,455	15,000	9,000	7,000
5. Deduct—Value of supplies to Local Governments and Administrations and to Postal and Telegraph Departments, etc.	-54,60,855	-53,02,221	-48,40,807	-48,05,000	-47,29,000	-48,89,000
6. De hi Province.	...	...	...	...	6,000	9,000
7. Baluchi-tan	1,914	2,186	2,800	3,000	2,000	3,000
8. North-West Frontier.	71,879	83,503	82,738	1,29,000	92,000	1,09,000
TOTAL	11,05,708	11,52,068	10,92,292	11,46,000	10,74,000	11,96,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces	3,27,458	4,50,161	3,37,128	3,77,000	3,69,000	4,44,000
2. Burma	8,29,139	8,13,145	7,83,162	8,09,000	8,01,000	7,93,000
3. Assam	...	...	...	1,48,000	1,73,000	1,81,000
4. Bengal (new)	...	...	...	12,55,000	14,24,000	13,10,000
5. Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	5,00,000	3,17,000	4,69,000
6. United Provinces	3,47,854	8,65,724	8,24,460	8,54,000	8,44,000	8,65,000
7. Punjab	7,52,903	7,54,841	7,17,330	7,80,000	7,23,000	7,02,000
8. Madras	15,66,157	14,96,004	15,54,719	14,71,000	13,51,000	16,46,000
9. Bombay	15,13,361	13,34,884	13,61,930	13,25,000	12,29,000	12,47,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	8,53,571	7,78,524	7,10,167	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	13,17,476	12,31,270	10,90,495	...	...	...
TOTAL	80,07,922	77,24,553	73,79,431	75,19,000	77,37,000	77,15,000
TOTAL INDIA R	91,13,630	88,76,621	84,71,823	86,65,000	88,11,000	89,11,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	607,575	591,775	564,788	577,700	587,400	594,100
England { Stores £	110,710	115,544	98,374	106,400	90,000	77,400
{ Other charges	6,437	6,850	6,129	7,600	6,400	7,200
TOTAL £	724,722	714,169	669,691	691,700	693,800	678,700

REVENUE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General . . .	4,68,484	4,53,087	4,46,335	4,11,000	4,33,000	4,18,000
2. De hi . . .	...	...	...	...	3,000	6,000
3. Baluchistan . . .	583	887	192	1,000	...	1,000
4. North-West Frontier .	9,511	14,070	18,008	16,000	19,000	1,000
5. Other Provinces . . .	1,83,876	2,13,430	1,97,333	1,74,000	1,78,000	1,87,000
TOTAL	6,62,454	6,80,974	6,61,871	6,02,000	6,33,000	6,25,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces . . .	45,532	45,133	37,537	44,000	40,000	59,000
2. Burma . . .	54,137	58,890	62,280	63,000	56,000	56,000
3. Assam . . .	...	...	...	8,000	14,000	9,000
4. Bengal (new) . . .	...	...	...	1,35,000	1,32,000	1,30,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	25,000	32,000	32,000
6. United Provinces . . .	1,63,859	1,44,974	1,43,212	1,47,000	1,42,000	1,40,000
7. Punjab . . .	1,39,492	1,47,293	1,43,944	1,77,000	1,74,000	1,34,000
8. Madras . . .	1,10,014	1,14,164	1,03,898	1,09,000	1,05,000	1,04,000
9. Bombay . . .	1,00,175	1,06,311	1,24,474	1,16,000	1,20,000	1,15,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . .	15,621	17,941	47,233	...	...	...
Bengal (old) . . .	1,38,569	1,49,162	1,24,013	...	...	...
TOTAL	7,67,399	7,93,808	7,91,691	8,23,000	7,91,000	7,85,000
TOTAL R	14,29,853	14,64,542	14,33,322	14,25,000	14,24,000	14,14,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	95,324	97,656	96,891	95,000	95,200	94,300

EXPENDITURE.

Revised, 1912-13.

143. The total expenditure on stationery and printing—Imperial and Provincial—in 1912-13, exclusive of the charges of the commercial departments, shows a satisfactory decrease of R1 18 lakhs (£7,900) as compared with the Budget estimate, while a further decline of R 76 lakh (£5,100) is anticipated in 1913-14. The Imperial outlay in the current year, in both India and England, will fall short of the Budget provision by R3 36 lakhs in spite of an increase of R1 06 lakhs in the charges of the Government of India presses caused mainly by the transfer of a portion of the Calcutta Press to Delhi; and the Budget for 1913-14 provides for a further decrease of R 55 lakh.

*Budget, 1913-14.**Revised, 1912-13.*

144. The Provincial expenditure in 1912-13 will exceed the Budget grant by R2 18 lakhs, a large excess of R3 80 lakhs in Madras mainly in connection with the purchase of the Lawrence Asylum press being partly counterbalanced by savings in Bombay and some other provinces. The large increase over the Budget provision shown against Bengal in the table at page 85 and the decrease shown against Bihar and Orissa are nominal and are caused by the printing of forms for the latter province by the former, payment for which is made by a transfer adjustment through Land Revenue. The total provision for Provincial expenditure in 1913-14 is R 22 lakh less than the Revised estimate for 1912-13, the allowance for normal growth in most of the provinces being counterbalanced by the absence of the special expenditure which will be incurred in Madras during the current year.

Budget, 1913-14.

REVENUE.

145 The figures show little variation and call for no remark. The Imperial revenue shown against "Other provinces" represents recovery of the value of stationery supplied to railways, municipalities and other local bodies.

XXIV AND 31.—EXCHANGE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts 1911-1912	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
Revenue . . . R	6,67,225	10,51,256	16,83,457	...	16,39,000	5,00,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	44,481	70,084	105,697	...	109,300	33,500
Expenditure . . . R	...	...	...	...	...	...
Equivalent in Sterling £	...	...	...	...	...	...

146. The accounts of the Government of India are prepared on a sterling basis, the rupee transactions in India being converted into pounds at the rate of R15=£1 and then added to the sterling transactions in England; and the comparatively small sums which have to be brought to account owing to the fact that the remittances to defray the net expenditure in England are not effected at exactly sixteen pence to the rupee are shown under this head.

147. In the current year the average rate to be obtained on the net remittance of funds from India to England is estimated at £1=R14.944, and there is accordingly a gain of R16.39 lakhs under this head. In the Budget estimate for next year, credit has been taken for a moderate receipt of R5 lakhs.

Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

XXV AND 62.—MISCELLANEOUS.

EXPENDITURE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. Remittance charges mainly in connec- tion with move- ments of Govern- ment funds	2,02,110	3,09,493	4,48,723	3,87,000	6,21,000	4,89,000
2. Special Commissions of enquiry	15,443	678	8,008	8,000	1,92,000	3,30,000
3. Other charges:					10,000	20,000
(a) in Delhi	...	...	...	...
(b) in the Frontier Province	26,772	51,75	28,849	27,000	25,000	22,000
(c) elsewhere	4,48,033	5,71,730	4,76,533	7,80,000	9,35,000	12,87,000
Total	7,82,358	10,23,659	9,52,113	12,02,000	11,83,000	21,48,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces	1,06,647	93,657	1,22,415	1,38,000	1,38,000	1,47,000
2. Burma	3,89,035	4,79,926	5,52,943	4,90,000	4,18,000	5,20,000
3. Assam	...	...	...	3,47,000	3,66,000	3,88,000
4. Pongal (new)	...	...	...	8,13,000	5,5,000	9,3,000
5. Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	1,23,000	97,000	1,68,000
6. United Provinces	13,63,207	6,57,232	2,51,451	1,47,000	1,64,000	1,85,000
7. Punjab	3,12,859	3,17,888	3,07,508	4,26,000	5,27,000	5,19,000
8. Madras	3,09,245	3,77,684	3,73,921	4,34,000	5,57,000	4,3,000
9. Bombay	2,88,843	3,94,007	17,79,762	4,81,000	5,35,000	4,95,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	5,93,878	6,25,371	5,63,026	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	3,93,697	3,50,909	3,96,802	...	...	...
Total	38,17,411	32,96,674	43,47,828	33,99,000	34,19,000	38,06,000
TOTAL INDIA . R	45,99,769	43,20,333	53,09,941	46,01,000	46,02,000	59,54,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	306,652	288,022	353,996	306,700	306,800	300,900
England	50,878	31,370	34,913	31,500	37,400	48,500
TOTAL £	357,530	319,392	388,909	338,200	344,200	449,400

REVENUE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget..	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General	5,21,811	5,39,945	13,89,759	4,93,000	6,90,000	5,80,000
2. Delhi	...	...	...	...	10,000	18,000
3. Baluchistan	...	7,738	6,769	8,000	38,000	7,000
4. North-West Frontier	1,20,077	1,29,781	1,43,547	1,42,000	1,38,000	1,06,000
5. Other Provinces	6,03,324	8,41,284	9,93,941	4,95,000	6,40,000	6,33,000
TOTAL	12,45,212	15,18,748	25,34,016	11,38,000	15,16,000	18,44,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces	6,88,715	2,78,708	1,17,049	1,51,000	1,61,000	78,000
2. Burma	74,033	1,06,094	76,016	72,000	78,000	78,000
3. Assam	...	...	...	32,000	47,000	45,000
4. Bengal (new)	...	...	...	4,87,000	6,36,000	5,91,000
5. Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	3,25,000	3,28,000	3,14,000
6. United Provinces	5,03,517	2,27,179	4,00,649	2,75,000	3,25,000	2,97,000
7. Punjab	9,42,339	7,89,241	9,69,675	7,87,000	8,63,000	3,87,000
8. Madras	2,85,386	3,10,584	3,29,036	2,93,000	2,86,000	2,12,000
9. Bombay	3,83,023	84,079	1,13,522	1,20,000	1,44,000	72,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	2,60,160	3,02,650	3,76,197	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	10,09,099	6,57,848	6,68,402	...	...	...
TOTAL	41,46,272	27,56,383	30,50,546	24,92,000	28,68,000	21,73,000
TOTAL INDIA . R	53,91,484	42,75,131	55,84,562	36,30,000	43,84,000	34,77,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	359,432	285,009	372,304	212,000	292,200	233,000
England	14,565	29,853	36,714	16,300	15,200	21,800
TOTAL . £	373,997	314,862	409,018	228,300	307,400	254,800

148. Charges in connection with the remittance of Government treasure are Imperial in all provinces; so is the discount paid, or the premium levied, in connection with the sale of bills at treasuries and currency offices to facilitate trade remittances of funds. The only other important items of Imperial revenue realised or expenditure incurred in the various provinces under this head are those of an extraordinary character exceeding R10,000 in amount.

EXPENDITURE.

(a) India—Imperial.

149. The Revised estimate for 1912-13 is only R19 lakh less than the Budget. The bulk of the reserve provision of R5 lakhs made in the latter under this head for unforeseen charges, has been appropriated to meet necessary and sanctioned outlay, mostly under other heads of account; but the resultant decrease under this head is almost wholly counterbalanced by an excess expenditure of R2.34 lakhs on the remittance of Government funds, caused by the heavy demand for rupees, and by the charges of the Public Service Commission which are expected to amount to R1.79 lakhs. *Revised, 1912-13.*

150. The Budget estimate for 1913-14 provides for normal charges, for a full year's cost of the Public Service Commission (R3.30 lakhs), as well as for a reserve allotment of R10 lakhs for unforeseen expenditure. It exceeds the Revised estimate for the current year by R9.65 lakhs, the increase in the expenditure of the Public Service Commission being nearly counterbalanced by an anticipated reduction in the remittance charges. *Budget, 1913-14.*

(b) India—Provincial.

151. The total Revised estimate for 1912-13 does not differ materially from the Budget provision. There is a large decrease of R2.56 lakhs in Bengal, in spite of a lump entry of R1.50 lakhs to meet the cost of grain compensation allowances to menial servants, caused by the record under other heads of account, of expenditure incurred from certain reserve and other provisions which were made in the Budget under this head. But on the other hand, there is an increase of R1.23 lakhs in Madras, mainly in connection with the charges of certain commissions of enquiry; of R1.01 lakhs in the Punjab owing to the write-off of the balance of a loan given to the late Dehra Ghazi Khan municipality; and of R.54 lakh in Bombay caused by the grant of special contributions to local funds in aid of famine relief expenditure. The variations in the other provinces are of less importance and call for no remark. *Revised, 1912-13.*

152. The total Budget for 1913-14 is R3.87 lakhs higher than the Revised estimate for the current year. There is an increase of R3.96 lakhs in Bengal caused by a higher provision for grain compensation allowance and a reserve grant of R2.5 lakhs. Increases of smaller magnitude appear in the estimates of some of the other provinces. But on the other hand, there will be a decrease in expenditure in Madras, Bombay and the Punjab owing to the absence of the special items included in the Revised estimate of the current year. The decrease in the last named province would have been greater but for a reserve provision of R1 lakh for unforeseen expenditure. *Budget, 1913-14.*

(c) England.

153. The increase of £5,900 in the current year over the Budget estimate occurs chiefly in the miscellaneous charges connected with the supply of stores to India. The further increase of £11,100 in the Budget estimate for 1913-14 is mainly due to a provision of £10,500 for the charges of the Public Service Commission. *Revised, 1912-13.*
Budget, 1913-14.

REVENUE.

(a) India—Imperial.

154. The increase of R3.78 lakhs in the Revised estimate for 1912-13 over the Budget is due to higher receipts from premia on bills, the demand for which has been stimulated by the activity of trade, and to special receipts from *Revised, 1912-13.*

Budget, 1913-14. various sources. The Budget for 1913-14 is taken at R1·72 lakhs less than the Revised estimate for the current year. Provision has been made for normal receipts only and allowance has been made for the discontinuance of the twenty per cent. contributions on the land cess hitherto recovered from rural boards in the North-West Frontier Province.

(b) *India—Provincial.*

Revised, 1912-13. 155. The revenue in 1912-13 is expected to exceed the Budget by R3·76 lakhs. The bulk of the improvement will be caused by larger credits on account of unclaimed deposits mostly in Bengal, and by special receipts from sale of land in the Punjab as well as from certain other sources. The absence of these abnormal receipts and the discontinuance of the twenty per cent. contribution from rural boards in the Punjab account for the decrease of R7·15 lakhs in the Budget for next year as compared with the Revised estimate for 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

(c) *England.*

Revised, 1912-13. 156. The Revised estimate for 1911-12 does not differ materially from the Budget. The increase in 1913-14 is due to a special receipt in respect of marine insurance and to higher receipts on account of diplomatic and consular services in Persia.

Budget, 1913-14.

33 TO 36.—FAMINE RELIEF AND INSURANCE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
INDIA.						
Famine Relief { Imperial	9,02,689	84,789	17,14,503	20,02,000	29,30,000	6,99,000
Provincial	2,93,738	252	—100	...	...	...
Construction of Protec-	1,80,226	4,00,969	4,37,689	4,04,000	4,35,000	1,29,000
tive Railways	63,05,659	52,71,178	56,83,204	67,23,000	60,87,000	72,63,000
Construction of Protec-	71,30,068	90,16,422	68,69,505	54,98,000	52,18,000	68,01,000
tive Irrigation Works						
Reduction or Avoidance						
of Debt						
TOTAL INDIA R	1,48,12,320	1,47,23,610	1,47,04,801	1,46,27,000	1,47,70,000	1,48,92,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	987,488	981,574	980,320	975,100	978,000	992,800
ENGLAND.						
Construction of Protec-	...	10,164	15,096	16,400	14,900	...
tive Railways	12,512	8,262	4,584	8,500	7,100	7,200
Construction of Protec-						
tive Irrigation Works						
TOTAL INDIA AND ENGLAND	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000

157. The Revised estimate for the current year shows an outlay of R29·30 lakhs under the head "Famine Relief" against a Budget provision of R20·02 lakhs. The bulk of the expenditure occurs in Bombay (*viz.*, R28·40 lakhs), where relief operations have continued throughout the year in the northern districts and a payment of about R4 lakhs has been made to railways in connection with concession rates charged on the carriage of fodder. A small amount of expenditure will also be incurred in the United Provinces on account of relief operations in the Mirzapur district. The amount available for famine insurance accordingly amounts to R120·70 lakhs, of which R68·52 lakhs will be spent on Protective works and R52·18 lakhs appropriated for the reduction or avoidance of debt. Revised, 1912-13.

158. In the Budget estimate for 1913-14 provision has been made as usual for a total grant of R150 lakhs under this group head. A moiety of this sum will be allotted for the construction of Protective works. Out of the other moiety R6·99 lakhs will be required for actual famine relief expenditure, in the Ahmednagar district of Bombay (R4·00 lakhs), the Mirzapur district of the United Provinces (R1·99 lakhs) and in Rajputana (R1 lakh); and the remainder, *viz.*, R68·01 lakhs, will be utilised for the avoidance of debt. Of the last-named sum, R37·50 lakhs appear in the Provincial section of the estimates as a result of the arrangements explained in the Financial Statement for 1907-08. Budget, 1913-14.

CONSTRUCTION OF PROTECTIVE RAILWAYS.

159. The Revised estimate for 1912-13 shows a petty excess over the Budget grant. The whole of the grant for Protective Railways in 1913-14 will again be spent on outlay on the Dharmapuri-Hosur extension of the Morappur-Dharmapuri Railway in the Madras Presidency.

CONSTRUCTION OF PROTECTIVE IRRIGATION WORKS.

160. In the Budget estimate for 1912-13 a total allotment of R75 lakhs was made for outlay on Protective Irrigation works. Of this sum R68·5 lakhs represented the amount available from the Famine Insurance grant for this purpose, and the balance of R6·5 lakhs was the supplementary provision made from the general resources of Government to foster the rapid development of this important class of works. The latter provision was shown under the separate head opened in the Irrigation section of the estimates. The probable expenditure, according to the Revised estimate, will, however, amount Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14. to Rs 61.93 lakhs only, chiefly in consequence of slow progress of work on the Tandula canal in the Central Provinces, and the Gangao dam in the United Provinces. The whole of this outlay will appear in the Famine Relief and Insurance section of the accounts, and the whole of the grant (Rs 6.5 lakhs) provided in the Irrigation section will lapse.

161. In the Budget estimate for 1913-14 the total allotment for Protective Irrigation works amounts to Rs 90 lakhs, of which Rs 73.71 lakhs represent the amount available from the Famine Insurance grant for this purpose. The balance, *viz.*, Rs 16.29 lakhs, has been provided under the special head in the Irrigation section of the estimates. The distribution of the total sum of Rs 90 lakhs is given in the table below :

	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914
	Budget.	Revised.	
	R	R	R
1. Central Provinces :			
(i) Tandula Canal	18,45,000	10,66,000	11,64,000
(ii) Tank projects	7,56,000	5,38,000	4,55,000
(iii) Other projects, etc.	1,99,000	2,16,000	3,31,000
2. Bengal	15,000	15,000	7,000
3. Bihar :			
(i) Tribeni Canal	7,07,000	7,00,000	6,61,000
(ii) Other projects, etc.	53,000	46,000	39,000
4. United Provinces :			
(i) Betwa Canal (including Dhukwan weir)	26,000	30,000	27,000
(ii) Ken „ (including Gangao dam)	5,26,000	3,17,000	4,67,000
(iii) Dassen „	2,78,000	2,92,000	88,000
(iv) Ghaggar „	92,000	1,75,000	4,51,000
(v) Other projects, etc.	2,38,000	2,28,000	1,53,000
5. Madras :			
(i) Mopad project	1,50,000	50,000	3,69,000
(ii) Other projects	1,00,000	1,00,000	1,31,000
6. Bombay :			
(i) Godavari Canal	7,11,000	7,30,000	5,38,000
(ii) Chankapur Tank	67,000	62,000	99,000
(iii) Pravara river project	10,99,000	10,96,000	12,38,000
(iv) Nira Right Bank Canal	5,00,000	4,21,000	28,61,000
(v) Other projects, etc.	69,000	76,000	64,000
7. Minor administrations	9,000	5,000	7,000
8. Reserve provision	2,20,000	...	5,50,000
Deduct—Allowance for possible lapses in grants	2,00,000	...	7,00,000
	75,00,00	61,93,000	90,00,000
Deduct—Amount provided in the Irrigation Section (<i>vide</i> page 99) outside the Famine Insurance Grant	6,50,000	...	16,29,000
Net provision under head “35.—Construction of Protective Irrigation Works”	68,50,000	61,93,000	73,71,000

162. The Nira Right Bank Canal was sanctioned by the Secretary of State in June 1912 and a large allotment of Rs 28.61 lakhs has been made for it in next year's Budget. Considerable sums have also been provided for the Tandula, Tribeni, Godavari and Ghaggar Canals, the Gangao dam, and the Mopad and Pravara river projects.

XXVI to XXVIII and 38 to 41—RAILWAY REVENUE ACCOUNT.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
	R	R	R	R	R	R
STATE RAILWAYS—						
Gross Receipts . . .	43,38,58,967	45,94,46,336	50,36,86,936	43,85,03,000	55,45,03,000	55,13,03,000
Deduct—						
Working Expenses . . .	24,32,14,762	24,48,54,428	25,89,45,724	28,50,00,000	27,40,00,000	28,22,49,000
Surplus profits paid to Companies, etc. . .	48,37,249	69,60,184	72,80,008	61,67,000	98,10,000	59,70,000
Net Receipts . . .	18,58,06,956	20,76,81,724	23,75,11,204	21,73,36,000	27,06,84,000	26,30,84,000
Net Revenue equivalent at Rs15=£1 . . .	£ 12,387,130	£ 13,842,115	£ 15,834,080	£ 14,489,100	£ 18,045,600	£ 17,533,900
Interest and capital re- demption charges—						
Interest on Debt . . .	5,653,551	5,842,334	6,279,070	6,513,600	6,698,800	6,969,900
Annuities in purchase of Railways . . .	3,357,708	3,357,634	3,357,301	3,357,800	3,357,700	3,379,500
Sinking Funds . . .	165,206	171,264	177,677	184,300	184,300	191,600
Interest chargeable against Companies on advances . . .	473,640	425,351	385,140	427,600	403,100	417,800
Interest on Capital deposited by Com- panies . . .	1,694,316	2,007,339	1,825,970	1,862,700	1,848,100	1,955,100
	11,544,421	11,803,922	12,025,158	12,346,000	12,492,000	12,913,800
Net Result . . .	842,709	2,038,193	3,808,922	2,143,100	5,553,600	4,625,000
GUARANTEED RAIL- WAYS—						
Net Result . . .	1,716	710	...	...	...	...
Other Receipts . . .	58,296	39,346	57,645	51,100	71,800	84,600
Other Charges . . .	77,799	60,753	78,797	172,300	109,300	157,800
Net Result . . .	-19,503	-21,407	-21,152	-121,200	-37,500	-73,200
TOTAL NET RESULT . . .	824,922	2,017,496	3,787,770	2,021,900	5,516,100	4,552,800
Redemption of capital from revenue . . .	760,898	786,187	812,928	842,135	840,561	869,165
STATISTICS—						
State Railways—						
Capital Expenditure to March 31st—						
Expenditure by Government . . .	175,857,946	188,434,371	195,464,910	203,331,671	204,454,910	214,579,019
Expenditure by Companies . . .	45,950,494	37,856,690	38,604,907	39,886,890	39,727,007	41,613,607
Outlay on the East Indian Railway from Debentures raised by the Company . . .	14,587,268	14,587,268	14,587,268	14,587,268	14,587,268	14,587,268
Outlay on the South Indian Railway by the Company . . .	1,513,816	1,513,816	1,513,816	1,513,816	1,513,816	1,513,816
Outlay on the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway by the Company . . .	959,364	959,364	959,364	959,364	959,364	959,364
Outlay on the Great Indian Peninsula Railway by the Company . . .	958,880	3,253,158	3,253,158	3,253,158	3,253,158	3,253,158
TOTAL . . .	239,827,768	240,004,667	254,883,423	263,532,167	264,495,523	276,506,223
Miles open on April 1 . . .	24,066	24,604	24,673	25,215	25,176	25,643

163. The Gross Receipts and Working Expenses of State Railways include the following figures on account of the Jorhat State Railway in Assam which is the only line whose transactions are recorded in the Provincial section of the accounts:—

	Accounts, 1909-10. R	Accounts, 1910-11. R	Accounts, 1911-12. R	Budget, 1912-13. R	Revised, 1912-13. R	Budget, 1913-14. R
Gross Receipts	95,895	95,331	1,16,465	1,00,000	1,10,000	1,10,000
Working Expenses	96,184	80,826	84,107	85,000	88,000	87,000

164. In view of the phenomenal growth of Gross Receipts of State Railways in 1911-12, and of the fact that a considerable portion of it was contributed by the specially favourable traffic conditions of the year, the Budget estimate for 1912-13 was deliberately taken at a moderate figure of about R48·85 crores. The traffic returns have again far outrun anticipations and the receipts are now expected to amount to about R55·45 crores or R6·60 crores more than the Budget estimate. The greater portion of the increase has already been earned. The improvement is due to a continuance of prosperous conditions both of trade and agriculture, which has led to an exceptionally heavy traffic in wheat, grain, and cotton; but a substantial portion of the growth is also contributed by the coaching traffic which has been stimulated by the activity of business and the marriages and pilgrimages of an auspicious Hindu year. All the principal lines share in this improvement. More than half of it is obtained naturally from the three lines, *viz.*, the East Indian, Great Indian Peninsula, and North-Western Railways, which traverse the tracts where the bulk of the exportable produce is grown. Important increases occur also on the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway in consequence of a brisk coaching traffic and heavy bookings of cotton, grain and fodder; on the Bengal-Nagpur Railway due to an exceptionally heavy pilgrim traffic to Puri and to larger transport of coal and other goods; on the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway due to additional mileage opened during the year and to heavy traffic in wheat and grain; on the Madras and Southern Mahratta and South Indian Railways owing to a general development of both the passenger and the goods traffic; and on the Eastern Bengal Railway caused by a brisker movement of jute.

Working Expenses.

165. The Revised estimate of Working Expenses exceeds the Budget grant by R90 lakhs. The increase is due to the heavier traffic handled and also to larger expenditure on renewals of permanent-way and rolling-stock than was anticipated in the Budget.

Payment of Surplus profits, etc.

166. The increase of R36·52 lakhs in the provision for the payment of surplus profits to Companies is a concomitant of the improvement in the net revenue.

Budget, 1913-14.

Gross Receipts.

167. The Budget estimate of Gross Receipts in 1913-14 is taken at R32 lakhs less than the Revised estimate of 1912-13. It is considered prudent, in view of the heavy growth which has taken place in the revenue in the current year and of the falling-off in the earnings of the North-Western Railway as indicated in the latest traffic returns, to provide for a moderate revenue in the coming year.

Working Expenses.

168. The grant for Working Expenses in 1913-14 exceeds the Revised estimate for the current year by R82·49 lakhs. The increase is due to enhanced provision for necessary renewals of permanent-way and rolling-stock and to the continued rise in the price of coal. On the other hand, the Budget estimate allows for a decrease of R38·49 lakhs in the payment of Surplus profits to Companies, etc., in view of the lower estimate of net earnings in the coming year and of the payment in 1913-14 of surplus profits for nine months, and in some cases for only three months, consequent on the adoption of the financial in place of the calendar year for the distribution.

Payment of Surplus profits, etc.

INTEREST CHARGES.

169. The rise in expenditure in 1912-13, as compared with the Budget estimate, under Interest on Debt is due to variation in the rate of interest charged on certain loan funds (*vide* paragraph 77) as well as to an increase in the Capital outlay. The saving in Interest on Capital deposited by Companies is due to failure to issue railway debentures to the extent anticipated in the

Budget, while the decrease in Interest chargeable against Companies on advances is caused by lapses in capital grants.

170. The increase in the total interest charge in 1913-14 is a result of the Budget, 1913-14. growth in the capital cost of Railways.

OTHER RECEIPTS.

171. The receipts shown under this head represent recoveries from the Travancore Durbar of its share of the loss on the Travancore branch of the South Indian Railway; the Government share of the surplus profits of the Rohilkhand-Kumaon, Southern Punjab and Amritsar-Patti Railways payable under the terms of their respective contracts; dividends on certain shares of the Ahmedabad-Dholka Railway allotted to the Government in repayment of expenditure incurred by it on behalf of the Railway; and sale-proceeds of land relinquished by Railway Companies. The improvement of R3.10 lakhs (£20,700) in the receipts in the current year over the Budget estimate and the further increase of R1.92 lakhs (£12,800) provided in the Budget of 1913-14 occur mainly in the Government share of the surplus profits of the Southern Punjab Railway.

OTHER CHARGES.

172. These consist of cost of land required by certain companies, the contracts with which provide for the free supply of all land wanted for the purposes of the railways undertaken by them, and of miscellaneous items such as surveys and controlling establishments (including the Railway Board). A share of the cost of control is charged to the working expenses of each railway company and the recoveries thus made are adjusted by deduction from the miscellaneous expenditure. The details are:

		Accounts, 1911-12.	1912-13.		1913-14. Budget.	
			Budget.	Revised.		
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1.	Subsidised Companies—Land	8,96,204	18,00,000	7,64,000	16,00,000	
2.	Miscellaneous expenditure	2,62,400	7,60,000	8,47,000	7,58,000	
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1.	Subsidised Companies—Land	13,190	19,000	19,000	10,000	
2.	Miscellaneous expenditure (Surveys)	10,160	7,000	9,000	...	
TOTAL		R	11,81,954	25,86,000	16,89,000	23,68,000
		£	78,797	172,300	109,800	157,900

Land.—A large lapse of R10.36 lakhs is expected in the Imperial Budget grant for the current year mainly in the provision for the Jullundur-Doab, Mandra-Bhon and Tiruturaipundi-Vedaraniyam Railways. The principal allotments made in 1913-14 are for the Bengal and North-Western, Darjeeling-Himalayan Extension, Vishnupur-Burdwan and Tiruturaipundi-Vedaraniyam Railways.

Miscellaneous Expenditure.—The increase of R.87 lakh in the Revised Revised. 1912-13. estimate for 1912-13 as compared with the Budget is due to the inception of certain surveys for which no provision was made in the Budget. The Budget, 1913-14. Budget for 1913-14 is made up as follows:—

Allotment for Surveys	8,00,000
Charges of the Railway Board and other establishments	16,08,000
Deduct—Recoveries from Railway Companies on account of cost of supervision	16,50,000
TOTAL	<u>7,58,000</u>

XXIX—XXX AND 42, 42-A and 43.—IRRIGATION.

IRRIGATION.	Accounts, 1909-10.	Accounts, 1910-11.	Accounts, 1911-12.	1912-1913		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
MAJOR WORKS.	R	R	R	R	R	R
Revenue { Direct Receipts	3,46,06,161	3,43,20,758	3,57,22,988	3,43,87,000	3,90,85,000	3,92,98,000
Revenue { Land Revenue	1,67,80,820	1,76,70,078	2,02,71,977	2,07,64,000	2,25,90,000	2,29,46,000
Expenditure { Working Expenses	1,64,13,166	1,66,44,319	1,71,76,543	1,66,88,000	1,71,85,000	1,74,39,000
Expenditure { Interest	1,42,53,680	1,50,45,994	1,59,94,080	1,68,45,000	1,74,57,000	1,84,94,000
NET REVENUE IN INDIA . R	2,07,00,135	2,03,00,523	2,28,24,342	2,17,18,000	2,70,83,000	2,63,06,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	1,380,000	1,353,369	1,521,623	1,447,900	1,805,600	1,753,700
Expenditure in England (Interest) . £	108,465	112,344	116,595	118,500	124,800	126,900
NET REVENUE . £	1,271,544	1,241,025	1,405,028	1,329,400	1,680,800	1,626,800
CONSTRUCTION OF PROTECTIVE WORKS . £	...	...	...	43,800	...	108,600
MINOR WORKS.						
Receipts—Direct .	35,85,360	34,26,980	37,05,809	36,65,000	37,68,000	38,20,000
Expenditure .	1,35,14,021	1,32,72,185	1,26,91,097	1,38,45,000	1,28,75,000	1,38,96,000
NET EXPENDITURE IN INDIA . R	99,78,661	98,45,205	89,85,288	1,01,80,000	91,07,000	1,00,76,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	665,244	656,348	599,019	678,700	607,200	671,700
Expenditure in England £	...	290	840	1,200	1,900	7,200
NET EXPENDITURE .	665,244	656,638	599,859	679,900	609,100	678,900
STATISTICS OF MAJOR WORKS.						
Capital Outlay to March 31 . R	48,38,58,606	50,70,03,625	53,59,97,753	56,51,80,500	56,47,02,000	59,54,52,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	32,257,240	33,800,176	35,733,184	37,678,700	37,646,800	39,696,800

General Result.**Major Irrigation.**

173. Taking India as a whole, the net financial result of the working of Major Irrigation works in 1912-13 will be better than the Budget forecast by £351,400 (R52.71 lakhs). There is a large improvement of R46.98 lakhs in the Direct Receipts and of R18.26 lakhs in the share of Land Revenue, but R12.53 lakhs of this are required to meet increase in expenditure. A small diminution of £54,000 (R8.09 lakhs) in the net profit is likely to take place next year. Allowance has been made for an increase of R5.58 lakhs in the Gross Revenue; but this improvement will be more than counterbalanced by a higher provision of R3.04 lakhs for Working Expenses and a large growth of R10.69 lakhs in the interest charges in consequence of the considerable outlay now being incurred on new projects in the Punjab and elsewhere, the benefits of which will not be realised for some time to come. The net result under Minor Irrigation works in 1912-13 is slightly better than the Budget estimate, owing to a small improvement in revenue and a considerable saving in expenditure; the estimate for next year provides for a further small growth in the receipts and for a much larger expenditure.

Minor Irrigation.

174. The figures for Land Revenue due to Irrigation have already been examined in paragraphs 10 and 11 along with those for Land Revenue proper. The details of the other heads are exhibited in the following tables.

XXIX AND 42—MAJOR WORKS.

Direct Receipts.

IRRIGATION.	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces . . .	81,580	57,701	58,708	85,000	76,000	90,000
2. Burma . . .	8,10,700	8,20,748	8,15,480	10,52,000	10,25,000	10,72,000
3. United Provinces . . .	3,50,824	3,21,223	3,15,702	2,62,000	2,35,000	3,00,000
4. North-West Frontier . . .	7,52,119	7,16,876	7,18,905	7,50,000	8,50,000	7,50,000
Total . . .	19,45,233	19,16,548	20,07,545	21,49,000	21,59,000	22,32,000
<i>Divided and Provincial.</i>						
1. Bengal . . .	...	...	...	2,63,000	2,63,000	2,80,000
2. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	22,87,000	22,50,000	23,50,000
3. United Provinces . . .	88,74,549	83,34,478	82,60,232	75,57,000	79,20,000	82,41,000
4. Punjab . . .	1,94,96,790	1,99,88,912	2,30,79,900	2,05,25,000	2,48,48,000	2,44,70,000
5. Madras . . .	4,21,008	2,68,820	2,58,000	2,64,000	2,60,000	2,58,000
6. Bombay . . .	12,66,051	12,48,233	13,31,102	13,42,000	13,28,000	14,52,000
Bengal (old) . . .	27,02,520	25,68,762	25,38,000	...	...	...
Total . . .	3,21,60,928	3,21,04,210	3,37,15,443	3,22,38,000	3,68,96,000	3,70,81,000
TOTAL R . . .	3,46,06,161	3,48,07,758	3,57,22,988	3,43,87,000	3,90,85,000	3,92,13,000
Equivalent in Sterling £ . . .	2,07,077	2,28,051	2,38,153	2,292,500	2,605,700	2,619,500

WORKING EXPENSES.

<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General (Reserve provision) . . .	...	...	...	1,63,000	...	1,45,000
2. Central Provinces . . .	23,106	29,600	34,938	70,000	70,000	50,000
3. Burma . . .	2,19,178	2,61,250	3,62,822	4,43,000	4,67,000	4,45,000
4. United Provinces . . .	2,35,640	2,49,611	3,73,014	4,28,000	3,78,000	4,50,000
5. North-West Frontier . . .	2,63,153	3,15,664	3,21,398	2,70,000	3,30,000	2,10,000
Total	7,41,077	8,56,125	10,92,772	13,74,000	12,45,000	13,00,000
<i>Divided and Provincial.</i>						
1. Bengal . . .	...	...	...	2,26,000	2,76,000	2,40,000
2. Bihar and Orissa . . .	...	...	...	12,23,000	11,25,000	12,66,000
3. United Provinces . . .	31,63,138	32,06,415	31,11,394	30,18,000	30,00,000	30,17,000
4. Punjab . . .	75,32,165	74,15,645	79,35,356	71,16,000	80,03,000	80,02,000
5. Madras . . .	21,64,886	23,57,219	22,23,700	22,43,000	20,63,000	21,14,000
6. Bombay . . .	10,49,128	13,53,730	14,11,204	13,88,000	14,23,000	15,00,000
Bengal (old) . . .	14,62,472	14,55,185	14,02,067	...	...	...
Total	1,56,72,089	1,57,83,194	1,60,83,771	1,52,14,000	1,58,90,000	1,61,39,000
TOTAL INDIA R	1,64,13,166	1,66,44,319	1,71,76,543	1,65,88,000	1,71,35,000	1,74,39,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	1,094,211	1,109,621	1,145,103	1,105,900	1,142,300	1,162,600

The Imperial figures shown against the United Provinces represent the transaction of the Betwa, Ken and other "protective" canals.

DIRECT RECEIPTS

(a) Imperial.

Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

175 The total revenue in 1912-13 will exceed the Budget estimate by R 40 lakh, an improvement of R1 lakh in the North-West Frontier Province owing to an increase in the irrigated area being partly counter-balanced by unimportant shortages in collections in the other provinces. The Budget estimate for 1913-14 is generally based on the prospects of *rabi* irrigation in the current year and a normal *kharif* irrigation in the ensuing year, and the total collections are taken at R 23 lakh higher than in 1912-13.

(b) Divided and wholly Provincial.

Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

176 The total Revised estimate for 1912-13 shows a large increase of R46.58 lakhs over the Budget. The bulk of this improvement, *viz*, R43.18 lakhs, will occur in the Punjab where the progress made with the Triple Canal project is bringing new areas under irrigation. A rise of R3.95 lakhs in the collections is also expected in the United Provinces, where insufficient rain has necessitated the irrigation of larger areas for the *kharif*. The variations in the other provinces are unimportant and call for no remark.

177 The total Budget for 1913-14 provides for a growth in the collections of R1.85 lakhs only. The estimates are generally based on the demand for *rabi* irrigation in the current year and on normal requirements in connection with next year's *kharif*. Provision for a large increase has been made in Bihar and Orissa, and in the United Provinces, the insufficiency of winter rains having stimulated the demand for canal water for the standing *rabi* crops; and also in Bombay owing to the opening of the Godavari left bank canal and the revision of rates on the Nira canal. On the other hand, the revenue in the Punjab has been taken at R3.73 lakhs less than the current year's Revised, in view of the doubtful prospects on some of the canals and the possible need for remissions, and also of the gradual supersession of owner's rates on certain canals by consolidated land revenue assessments.

WORKING EXPENSES.

(a) Imperial.

Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

178 The total Revised estimate for 1912-13 falls short of the Budget provision by R1.29 lakhs. The decrease is due to a lapse in the reserve provision, only a portion of which was utilised to push on work on the Kabul River and the Lower Swat canals. In the Budget estimate for 1913-14 provision has been made for a reserve allotment of R1.45 lakhs and for higher outlay on the Imperial canals in the United Provinces. But a large reduction is expected in the outlay on the canals in the North-West Frontier Province and the total Budget is only R.55 lakh higher than the Revised estimate for the current year.

(b) Divided and wholly Provincial.

Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

179. The total expenditure in 1912-13 exceeds the Budget grant by R6.76 lakhs. There is a large excess of R8.87 lakhs in the Punjab chiefly in consequence of higher outlay on special works and repairs on some of the canals, higher collection fees on the Upper Bari Doab canal and purchase of tramway plant for the head works of the Sirhind and Lower Chenab canals. On the other hand, a considerable saving of R1.80 lakhs is expected in Madras owing mainly to want of labour and postponement of certain works for which provision was made in the Budget. The variations in the other provinces are unimportant and call for no remark.

180 The estimates for 1913-14 provide generally for a normal scale of expenditure, and the total Budget exceeds the Revised estimate for 1912-13 by only R2.49 lakhs.

42A — EXPENDITURE ON PROTECTIVE IRRIGATION WORKS IN
ADDITION TO THAT CHARGED UNDER FAMINE RELIEF
AND INSURANCE.

	Accounts. 1909-1910.	Accounts. 1910-1911.	Accounts. 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget. 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
India	6,50,000	...	16,29,000
Equivalent in sterling £	48,300	...	108,600

181. The figures have been already explained in paragraphs 160 and 161.

XXX AND 43.—MINOR WORKS AND NAVIGATION.

Revenue.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General	23,721	23,215	18,852	25,000	20,000	22,000
2. Delhi . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	1,000
3. Baluchistan	45,833	25,060	46,405	70,000	67,000	71,000
4. Punjab	7,85,009	8,51,662	7,42,105	7,60,000	7,50,000	7,70,000
Total	8,55,556	9,09,937	8,08,162	8,55,000	8,37,000	8,70,000
<i>Divided and Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces	19,210	31,673	31,045	35,000	37,000	50,000
2. Burma	11,75,072	10,05,119	12,75,025	12,50,000	12,82,000	13,08,000
3. Assam . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Bengal (new) . . . . .	...	...	...	6,45,000	7,26,000	7,36,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . . . .	...	...	...	83,000	72,000	72,000
6. United Provinces	1,69,725	1,60,120	1,50,841	1,16,000	1,64,000	1,42,000
7. Punjab	72,139	62,156	56,339	61,000	65,000	6,000
8. Madras	2,47,209	2,01,406	2,16,985	2,15,000	2,25,000	2,14,000
9. Bombay	3,50,125	3,57,401	3,65,833	3,75,000	3,60,000	3,67,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	14	74	48	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	6,65,520	6,91,891	8,01,498	...	...	...
Total	26,79,804	25,17,018	28,97,647	28,10,000	29,31,000	29,50,000
TOTAL	35,85,360	34,26,980	37,05,809	36,65,000	37,68,000	38,20,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	235,691	22,465	247,054	244,300	251,200	254,700

Expenditure.

<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General	1,14,102	1,01,264	78,641	8,02,000	1,05,000	7,17,000
2. Delhi	...	...	...	...	2,000	3,000
3. Baluchistan	2,90,524	3,83,355	3,04,208	1,06,000	3,63,000	1,11,000
4. Punjab	9,94,141	10,47,668	10,02,200	10,10,000	9,58,000	8,92,000
5. North-West Frontier	49,739	90,060	39,090	58,000	35,000	61,000
Total	14,48,506	16,22,356	14,31,139	19,76,000	14,63,000	17,84,000
<i>Divided and Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces	4,80,887	4,53,536	5,35,221	6,00,000	5,00,000	5,00,000
2. Burma	11,33,332	13,02,074	14,26,708	14,60,000	14,00,000	14,50,000
3. Assam	...	...	...	72,000	71,000	2,00,000
4. Bengal (new)	...	...	...	16,67,000	16,02,000	18,69,000
5. Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	5,03,000	5,04,000	5,00,000
6. United Provinces	4,74,342	5,35,848	4,22,432	3,39,000	4,34,000	2,58,000
7. Punjab	69,786	80,897	1,07,297	1,13,000	1,06,000	1,95,000
8. Madras	41,07,925	37,41,377	35,70,377	39,28,000	35,70,000	33,04,000
9. Bombay	35,11,195	33,56,346	31,73,167	31,87,000	32,25,000	32,40,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	1,17,162	1,07,133	1,29,956	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	21,61,876	20,72,618	18,94,800	...	...	...
Total	1,20,65,515	1,16,49,829	1,12,59,958	1,18,69,000	1,14,12,000	1,21,12,000
TOTAL INDIA R	1,35,14,021	1,32,72,185	1,28,91,097	1,38,45,000	1,28,75,000	1,38,98,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	900,935	884,813	846,073	923,000	858,400	921,400
GRAND TOTAL	...	290	840	1,200	1,900	7,200
	900,935	885,103	846,913	924,200	860,300	938,600

REVENUE.

(a) *Imperial.*

182. The figures show little variation and call for no remark.

(b) *Divided and Provincial.*

183. The total Revised estimate for 1912-13 exceeds the Budget by R1 21 lakhs mainly owing to larger collections in Bengal where the Madaripur Bhil route is now kept open to steamer traffic throughout the year consequent on the deepening of its channel. In 1913-14 provision has generally been made for normal receipts, and the total Budget does not differ materially from the Revised estimate of the current year.

EXPENDITURE.

(a) *Imperial.*

184. The Budget estimate of the current year included the usual grant of R5 lakhs in aid of special expenditure entailed by the recommendations of the Irrigation Commission and a reserve provision of R1 52 lakhs to meet unforeseen requirements. R2 51 lakhs out of the special grant are being spent on the Nar Nallah scheme in Baluchistan; while R1 30 lakhs have been allotted to the Government of the United Provinces for tank restoration works and placed at its credit by an assignment of Land Revenue (*vide* paragraph 25). The balance of the special grant and the whole of the reserve provision will lapse. Savings are also expected in almost every province in the allotment made in the Budget for expenditure on the minor irrigation and navigation works which are classed as wholly Imperial. These causes account for the decrease of R5 03 lakhs in the Revised estimate of the current year as compared with the Budget.

185. The total Budget estimate for 1913-14 exceeds the Revised for 1912-13 by R4 00 lakhs. Allowance has been made for the special grant of R5 lakhs and a reserve of R 97 lakh; but no provision exists for the Nar Nallah scheme, as an allotment will be made for it later in the year from the special grant. The decrease in the Indian outlay in the Punjab is counterbalanced by the provision for higher purchase of stores for this province in England.

(b) *Divided and Provincial.*

186. The total expenditure in 1912-13 is likely to fall short of the Budget grant by R4 57 lakhs. There is a decrease of R3 58 lakhs in Madras owing to non-utilisation of a lump provision made in the Budget with reference to a resolution of the provincial Legislative Council, and to a slower progress on works; and of R1 lakh in the Central Provinces due to transfer of funds to Civil Works to meet the cost of certain irrigation buildings. Lapses of smaller magnitude are expected in most other provinces. In the United Provinces the outlay on tank restoration works mentioned above is partly obscured by a lapse in ordinary grants, and the total expenditure will exceed the Budget provision by R 95 lakh only.

187. The total Budget for 1913-14 exceeds the Revised estimate of the current year by R7 lakhs. There is an increase of R3 24 lakhs in Madras chiefly in consequence of a larger provision for expenditure on works and the restoration of the lump provision mentioned above; of R2 67 lakhs in Bengal caused mainly by provision for higher outlay on the Madaripur Bhil scheme; and of R1 30 lakhs in Assam where a special allotment has been made for a snag boat. In the Punjab also, a special provision has been made for the Kahan hill torrent reservoir scheme. But these excesses, as well as increases of less importance in Burma, Bombay, and Bihar and Orissa are partly counterbalanced by a decrease of R1 76 lakhs in the United Provinces due mainly to the absence of expenditure incurred in the current year from the special Imperial subvention for tank works.

44.—CONSTRUCTION OF RAILWAYS CHARGED TO PROVINCIAL REVENUES.

	Accounts. 1909-1910.	Accounts. 1910-1911.	Accounts. 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Provincial</i>						
Assam . . R	18,671	11,928	12,535	52,000	61,000	32,000
£	1,245	795	836	3,500	4,100	2,100

188. The charges represent capital outlay in connection with the Jorhat Railway and are unimportant in character.

XXXI and 45.—CIVIL WORKS.

EXPENDITURE

	Accounts, 190.-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911- 912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General	20,02,179	23,08,460	34,19,254	31,61,000	74,33,000	49,72,000
2. Delhi Province . . . . .	...	...	...	...	6,50,000	6,30,000
3. Baluchistan	8,11,172	9,91,034	8,60,851	9,00,000	9,1,000	10,30,000
4. North-West Frontier	21,45,032	21,5,275	23,35,28	27,61,000	27,0,000	32,40,000
5. Other Provinces	36,58,952	40,49,764	40,2,372	35,49,000	43,8,000	49,03,000
Total	86,12,335	95,05,533	1,12,37,405	1,04,71,000	1,61,8,000	1,48,59,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces	60,27,432	57,45,570	58,81,22	62,33,000	66,33,000	60,30,000
2. Burma	67,23,437	85,40,240	1,01,61,370	86,98,000	83,30,000	1,05,000
3. Assam . . . . .	...	...	...	27,58,000	42,3,000	39,65,000
4. Bengal (new) . . . . .	...	...	...	94,00,000	1,04,4,000	1,04,50,000
5. Bihar and Orissa . . . . .	...	...	...	69,86,000	61,19,000	78,01,000
6. United Provinces	12,21,078	70,65,420	71,21,797	74,71,000	78,05,000	70,25,000
7. Punjab	50,21,560	51,27,731	62,75,248	83,23,000	67,0,000	1,03,61,000
8. Madras	73,97,567	95,37,540	1,10,12,637	1,50,74,000	1,54,21,000	1,54,85,000
9. Bombay	77,42,683	83,31,604	1,35,42,061	76,84,000	98,07,000	92,02,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	64,88,969	64,30,307	67,18,032	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	66,27,302	65,59,086	88,21,485	...	...	...
Total	5,22,48,043	5,73,37,508	6,92,88,802	7,31,07,000	7,56,01,000	8,25,95,000
TOTAL INDIA . R	6,08,60,37	6,67,43,041	8,05,26,297	8,35,78,000	9,17,80,000	9,74,54,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	4,057,38	4,456,203	5,338,419	5,571,900	6,119,200	6,170,000
England	78,548	80,464	84,703	79,800	10,500	85,400
TOTAL . £	4,135,906	4,536,667	5,423,122	5,651,700	6,209,000	6,255,400

REVENUE.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		Budget, 1913-1914.
				Budget.	Revised.	
<i>Imperial.</i>						
1. India General	80,792	79,646	6,38,618	59,000	1,34,000	1,15,000
2. Delhi	...	...	...	...	...	1,000
3. Baluchistan	40,919	35,207	44,388	38,000	39,000	37,000
4. North-West Frontier	1,39,600	1,42,803	1,37,210	1,41,000	3,63,000	1,42,000
5. Other Provinces	2,18,698	2,32,559	2,33,632	2,09,000	2,50,000	2,25,000
Total	5,10,005	4,90,275	10,53,848	4,47,000	7,96,000	5,20,000
<i>Provincial.</i>						
1. Central Provinces	5,95,280	6,08,888	5,64,490	6,46,000	5,74,000	6,26,000
2. Burma	3,21,908	3,02,151	2,96,425	2,86,000	3,00,000	2,80,000
3. Assam	...	...	...	1,43,000	1,70,000	1,48,000
4. Bengal (new)	...	...	...	12,83,000	5,61,000	5,24,000
5. Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	2,10,000	2,91,000	3,25,000
6. United Provinces	3,40,318	3,83,019	4,27,046	3,57,000	4,82,000	4,41,000
7. Punjab	4,94,068	4,97,163	6,20,941	5,01,000	5,25,000	5,38,000
8. Madras	2,20,016	2,44,649	2,71,824	2,63,000	2,99,000	2,81,000
9. Bombay	7,53,872	7,23,318	7,04,497	6,18,000	7,59,000	5,18,000
Eastern Bengal and Assam	3,25,434	3,47,302	3,46,280	...	...	...
Bengal (old)	4,23,876	5,10,734	6,18,536	...	...	...
Total	35,21,772	36,17,224	38,50,019	43,67,000	39,48,000	37,84,000
TOTAL INDIA . R	40,31,787	41,07,499	49,03,867	48,14,000	47,34,000	43,04,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	268,786	273,833	326,924	320,900	315,600	286,900
England	...	20,000	...	...	...	...
TOTAL . £	268,786	293,833	326,924	320,900	315,600	286,900

189 The Imperial revenue and expenditure shown against "Other Provinces" represent the transactions in connection with the buildings of the various departments (*e.g.*, Salt, Customs, etc.) whose receipts and charges are wholly Imperial.

EXPENDITURE.

(a) Imperial:—India and England.

Revised, 1912-13.

190 The Civil Works expenditure of Delhi province proper in 1912-13 is likely to amount to Rs. 6.50 lakhs, exclusive of outlay on post and telegraph offices, etc., which is chargeable under standing rules to the ordinary grant for Imperial Civil Works. The amount is made up as follows:—

	Lakhs of Rs.
Ordinary expenditure	1.07
Special expenditure on:—	
(1) Buildings for additional police	1.21
(2) Improvements to roads, etc., inclusive of provision for a grant of Rs. 2.88 lakhs to the funds of the notified area for various public improvements	3.84
(3) Preservation of antiquities . . . . .	.85
	<hr/> 5.18
	<hr/> 6.50

191 Excluding Delhi the total Revised estimate for the current year exceeds the Budget by Rs. 2.27 lakhs. Of this increase, Rs. 1.47 lakhs represent outlay in connection with the temporary buildings required for the Government of India at Delhi; and the remainder is due to a higher payment of leave allowances in England and to certain pressing demands *e.g.*, the purchase of a building for the Currier's Office at Madras and the extension of the salt godahs at Sulkea, for which no provision was made in the Budget. The main details of the expenditure of Rs. 1.47 lakhs on Temporary Delhi in the current year are given below, the figures being in approximate lakhs:—

Buildings: Secretariat offices and Council Chamber	8
Quarters for Indian clerks and press workmen	7
Conversion of Circuit House into a temporary Government house	4
Housing of Viceregal staff	3
Quarters for additional members of the Imperial Legislative Council at Metcalfe House	2
Housing of officers	2
Press buildings	1
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Compensation for land required for temporary works	4
Establishments	3
Electric lighting	3
Furniture	2
Medical and sanitary arrangements including drainage and sewerage	3
Water-supply	1
Roads in temporary works area	1
Tools and plant	1
Other miscellaneous items	2
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Revised, 1913-14.

192 In 1913-14 the total Imperial grant has been fixed at Rs. 111.57 lakhs, exclusive of Rs. 3.53 lakhs allotted for petty expenditure incurred in the Civil Department in the several minor administrations, and of sums

aggregating Rs. 46.30 lakhs to be spent by the administrations of North-West Frontier Province (Rs. 31.60 lakhs), Baluchistan (Rs. 8.20 lakhs) and Delhi (Rs. 6.50 lakhs). The purposes to which this grant of Rs. 111.57 lakhs will be applied are shown below:—

Lakhs of Rupees.

(a) Ordinary grant:—

(1) Establishment and Tools and Plant and Suspense .	17.61
(2) Repairs	18.75
(3) Works in progress	20.27
(4) New Works:—	
(a) Costing up to Rs. 5,000	9.55
(b) Costing more than Rs. 5,000	17.84
(5) Payments in England on stores, furlough allowances, etc.	12.81
(6) Reserve provision for archaeological expenditure .	1.00
(7) Reserve provision for other unforeseen expenditure .	5.49
	<hr/> 103.82

(b) Special grant for temporary buildings at Delhi:—

(1) New works (mainly improvement of quarters for press workmen).	2.25
(2) Repairs (including rents of leased bungalows and taxes).	2.75
(3) Electric lighting	2.25
(4) Establishment	1.00
	<hr/> 8.25
	<hr/> 111.57

193. The following is a list of the new works and works in progress in which it is probable that allotments of Rupees one lakh or more will be made from the ordinary grant in the ensuing year:—

Provinces.	Name of Works.	Amount of grant.
		Rs.
India (General)	New Jail at Secunderabad	1,00,000
	Radio station at Bangalore	1,50,000
Central Provinces	Postal building at Nagpur	1,50,000
Burma	Customs House, Rangoon	1,50,000
Do.	Telegraph office, Rangoon	1,50,000
Bengal	Extension of Salt golas, Sulkea	1,50,000
Do.	Extension of Central Telegraph Office, Calcutta	3,00,000
Do.	Reconstruction of new Stamps and Stationery Office, Calcutta	1,50,000
Punjab	New Council Chamber, Simla	1,34,000
Bombay	Customs House, Karachi	1,50,000
Do.	Do. do., Bombay	3,00,000
Do.	Currency Office, Bombay	1,50,000

194. In the Budget estimate of the North-West Frontier Province for 1913-14 provision has been made for special expenditure for the improvement of roads and for certain works required in connection with the conversion of the Border Military Police to Frontier Constabulary. The Delhi Budget for next year includes provision for the following special items besides a reserve allotment of Rs. 50 lakh:—

Lakhs of Rupees.

(1) Improvement to roads, etc.	3.75
(2) New police buildings	1.00
(3) Archaeological expenditure . . . . .	.25
	<hr/> 5.00

(b) India—Provincial.

Revised, 1912-13.

195. The total Revised estimate for 1912-13 exceeds the Budget provision by Rs 24.94 lakhs. The increase is, however, nominal and is caused by the record under this head of a portion of the expenditure from the special Imperial grants for education, sanitation and other beneficial services, for which provision was made elsewhere in the Budget. The total outlay of this class will amount to about Rs 79 lakhs; and excluding this sum, the Revised estimate under Civil Works falls short of the Budget by about Rs 54 lakhs. The real saving is larger, for a portion of the expenditure against some of the ordinary grants provided in the Budget under Education, Medical and other heads, is recorded in the accounts under Civil Works. Considerable lapses in the grants provided under the latter head are expected in the Punjab (about Rs 25 lakhs), where it will be impossible to push through the heavy programme of new roads and buildings contemplated in the Budget; in Bihar and Orissa (about Rs 15 lakhs) mainly in the allotments for special works at Bankipur and Ranchi; in Bengal (about Rs 10 lakhs) owing to non-utilisation of a lump provision of Rs 3.61 lakhs for grants to district boards and slower progress of work on new buildings; in Madras (about Rs 10 lakhs) where the allotments for new buildings and for water-supply and drainage schemes will not be fully utilised owing to delay in the preparation of proper estimates and in the acquisition of site, and to other reasons; and in Burma where the Local Government has decided to save for future expenditure Rs 9½ lakhs of the special Imperial grant given in 1911-12 for the development of communications. In the United Provinces also, lapses of about Rs 5 lakhs are expected mainly in the allotments for the Lucknow Medical College and Allahabad High Court buildings; but it is probable that the money will be utilised for other purposes. In Assam and Bombay alone there will be any real excess over the Budget grants. In the former province a vigorous programme for the improvement of communications has been started, while considerable outlay is also being incurred in connection with frontier roads. In Bombay an additional grant of Rs 3 lakhs has been sanctioned for urgent minor works.

196. The table below compares the details of the grants for 1913-14 in the various provinces, so far as settled at present with the probable expenditure in the current year.

REVISED, 1912-13.

Lakhs of Rupees.

PROVINCES.	GRANTS TO		OUTLAY IN THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT ON			Other items.	Allotments from discretionary Imperial grant.	TOTAL.
	Local Boards and Municipalities.	Other local bodies.	Original works.	Repairs.	Establishment charges.			
1. Central Provinces	2.20	...	32.29	20.43	9.72	1.69	...	66.33
2. Burma	8.84	...	27.50	32.50	17.50	1.96	...	83.30
3. Assam	5.48	...	20.51	10.56	5.00	.78	...	42.31
4. Bengal	20.51	13.00	42.96	16.52	10.37	1.38	...	104.94
5. Bihar and Orissa	10.27	...	37.22	5.85	7.00	.85	...	61.19
6. United Provinces	9.59	...	36.78	21.71	8.79	1.20	...	78.06
7. Punjab	7.69	...	32.99	15.28	8.39	2.66	...	67.01
8. Madras	62.38	22.50	46.95	8.24	12.60	1.54	...	154.21
9. Bombay	13.49	...	40.46	19.31	12.89	3.52	...	98.67
TOTAL	135.45	35.50	326.64	150.40	92.46	15.58	...	756.01

BUDGET, 1913-14.

[Lakhs of Rupees.]

PROVINCES.	GRANTS TO		OUTLAY IN THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT ON			Other items.	Allotment from discretionary Imperial grant.	TOTAL.
	Local Boards and Municipalities.	Other local bodies.	Original works.	Repairs.	Establishment charges.			
1. Central Provinces	2.27	...	32.01	21.74	10.00	1.33	2.50	69.88
2. Burma	10.04	...	13.38	34.20	1.00	1.96	4.00	110.58
3. Assam	7.01	...	11.76	11.43	6.12	.81	2.50	39.65
4. Bengal	16.53	13.00	42.96	16.30	10.5	1.04	4.00	104.50
5. Bihar and Orissa	9.02	...	50.07	6.85	7.25	.82	4.00	78.01
6. United Provinces	4.29	...	29.23	21.46	9.5	1.72	4.00	70.25
7. Punjab	7.65	...	63.41	15.91	8.3	4.34	4.00	103.61
8. Madras	66.12	18.50	44.80	7.81	12.8	2.98	4.00	156.85
9. Bombay	8.02	...	13.77	20.30	14.2	2.25	4.00	92.62
TOTAL	130.95	31.50	361.19	156.02	93.01	17.28	33.00	825.95

197. Of the total Budget grant of R825.95 lakhs proposed for 1913-14 R33 lakhs represent the portion (*viz.*, about one-third) of the discretionary grant of R100 lakhs from Imperial revenues (*vide* paragraph 23) which has been made available for expenditure in the ensuing year. Lump allotments have been added under this head as shown in the table in the preceding paragraph, from which each Local Government will be at perfect freedom to make necessary re-appropriations for any schemes to which it may decide to apply the funds placed at its disposal.

Budget, 1913-14.

198. The total provision for grants to Local Boards and Municipalities in 1913-14 is R4.5 lakhs less than the similar expenditure in 1912-13. There is an increase of R6.20 lakhs in Burma in consequence of a lump allotment of the entire unexpended balance of the old Imperial subvention for sanitation; of R3.74 lakhs in Madras where provision has been made for large grants to local boards for roads, bridges and protected wells in rural areas; and of R1.53 lakhs in Assam where it is contemplated to make increased grants to local boards for the improvement of communications. But these increases are more than counterbalanced by reductions in the other provinces. The decreases in the grants in Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, and the United Provinces are caused by lump reductions which have been made to provide for the discontinuance of certain contributions in connection with the surrender to rural boards of the amounts which are now appropriated for Provincial use from the cess on land (*vide* paragraph 16). In the Punjab, also, a similar reduction has been made; but it is nearly counterbalanced by a lump allotment of R2 lakhs for feeder roads. In Bombay, the Revised estimate for the current year includes a payment of R3.91 lakhs to municipalities for special sanitation schemes out of the provision made for this purpose in the Budget under the medical head (see paragraph 122); and the absence of this special payment as well as a smaller provision for the improvement of water-supply in districts affected by the scarcity account for the decrease of R5.47 lakhs in the Budget of 1913-14 as compared with the Revised for 1912-13.

199. The figures shown under "Grants to other local bodies" consist of contributions to the Chittagong Port Trust (R1.5 lakhs), the Calcutta Improvement Trust (R11.50 lakhs), the Madras Corporation (R12.5 lakhs) and the Madras Port Trust (R6 lakhs). The second and third of these contributions represent grants from Imperial revenues passed through the Provincial accounts.

200. A higher provision for repairs has been made in most of the provinces to meet the requirements of new roads and buildings. The grant for "Original works" in Burma includes the unspent balance (R9½ lakhs) of the

Imperial subvention for the development of communications which was given last year and Rs20 lakhs out of the similar contribution which it is proposed to make in the current year. In the other provinces, the prosperous condition of provincial finances has again made it possible for the Local Governments to allot large sums in their Budgets for 1913-14 for new roads, buildings and other public improvements. Provision for an unusually heavy programme has been made in the Punjab where the provincial balances have been very largely swelled in consequence of the windfall received from the sale of proprietary rights in canal colonies; and the grant for 1913-14 is very nearly double the probable outlay in the current year. Large sums have been allotted for additional roads, official residences at Lahore and other places, police buildings, the enlargement of the Civil Secretariat building, and other public improvements. In Bihar and Orissa, a provision of Rs20 lakhs has been made for special works at Bankipur. The Madras Budget includes Rs4.63 lakhs for buildings required in connection with the Meyer scheme for the redistribution of districts.

REVENUE.

(a) Imperial.

Revised, 1912-13.

201. The revenue in the current year is likely to exceed the Budget estimate by Rs3.39 lakhs owing to a credit of Rs2.21 lakhs for earthwork done by the Public Works department for railways, special receipts from the sale of buildings, and the recovery of rents on account of the temporary quarters occupied by Government officials at Delhi. The absence of these special receipts explains the decrease of Rs2.66 lakhs in the Budget for 1913-14 as compared with the Revised estimate for the current year.

Budget, 1913-14.

(b) Provincial.

Revised, 1912-13.

202. The total Revised estimate for 1912-13 will fall short of the Budget by Rs4.19 lakhs. A large decrease of Rs7.19 lakhs in Bengal caused by the non-realisation of any portion of the sale-proceeds of the Sibpur College buildings is partly counterbalanced by increased receipts of Rs1.41 lakhs and Rs1.25 lakhs respectively in Bombay and the United Provinces from sale of buildings, old materials and other sources. The Budget estimate for 1913-14 provides generally for normal receipts in all the provinces.

Budget, 1913-14.

XXXII and 46.—ARMY.

	Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		1913-1914. Budget.
				Budget.	Revised.	
EXPENDITURE.	R	R	R	R	R	R
INDIA—						
<i>Effective Services—</i>						
Administration	66 83 250	66 83 390	66 23 994	68 55 270	69 54 000	69 51 390
Military Accounts	26 12 931	29 05 030	29 15 340	28 58 380	28 59 000	28 92 650
Regimental Pay, etc.	12 27 98 341	12 36 87 512	12 45 05 223	12 23 53 880	12 19 55 000	12 27 71 940
Supply and Transport	8 21 13 557	8 13 62 808	8 01 50 763	8 12 33 340	8 28 35 000	8 16 46 030
Veterinary	4 70 215	4 88 010	4 93 567	4 98 160	5 00 000	5 00 040
Clothing	14 76 415	12 67 622	12 58 800	15 45 840	15 44 000	15 85 800
Remounts	50 80 503	58 56 219	47 13 862	48 81 530	48 55 000	50 31 610
Medical Services	58 96 437	59 31 695	57 83 758	59 05 120	57 64 000	58 87 100
Medical Stores	3 32 415	4 71 111	5 65 779	4 18 000	5 39 000	4 78 820
Ordnance	1 01 58 145	90 19 530	88 17 906	98 24 480	97 51 000	98 03 710
Ecclesiastical	4 24 433	4 14 366	4 17 979	4 25 790	4 40 000	4 37 100
Education	11 85 757	12 71 489	12 52 272	12 50 490	12 33 000	13 23 700
Compensation for food, etc.	62 66 369	48 22 562	48 96 685	43 20 560	55 95 000	43 65 560
Miscellaneous Services	17 68 261	24 82 495	19 22 432	24 21 000	27 64 000	22 51 240
Hutting	7 31 012	4 51 805	3 04 955	2 00 000	6 99 000	2 00 000
Conveyance by road, river and sea	7 96 838	8 62 827	8 74 156	14 20 420	14 71 000	13 04 300
Conveyance by rail	86 75 923	37 76 399	43 35 239	36 96 750	39 04 000	44 12 690
Canteenments	18 22 530	16 02 327	13 63 144	12 56 960	13 89 000	23 24 340
Unadjusted Expenditure	—6 19 050	8 05 309	—1 52 782	...	...	...
TOTAL	R 20,31,88,282	20,41,48,426	20,34,03,972	20,15,75,000	20,51,01,000	20,36,18,000
<i>Non-effective Services—</i>	R 1,02,58,085	1,05,14,653	1,04,85,675	1,04,81,000	1,06,12,000	1,06,40,000
TOTAL INDIA	R 21,33,91,367	21,46,63,079	21,38,89,647	21,20,56,000	21,57,13,000	21,42,58,000
Equivalent in sterling	£ 14,220,091	14,310,872	14,592,643	14,137,100	14,380,900	14,259,900
ENGLAND—	£	£	£	£	£	£
<i>Effective Services—</i>						
Payments to War Office for British Forces	910,057	935,055	914,000	935,000	941,800	947,000
Furlough allowances, etc., of British Forces	140,412	135,116	135,990	143,000	140,000	139,000
Consolidated clothing allowance of British soldiers . . . . .	...	17,194	48,460	15,200	32,200	15,200
Furlough allowances Indian Service	354,527	372,824	363,216	37,000	360,000	360,000
Indian Troop Service	271,085	236,927	273,947	231,500	266,700	307,900
Other heads	39,860	132,846	61,824	104,000	125,000	105,500
Clothing Stores	104,754	83,706	58,670	54,800	54,200	87,800
Ordnance and Miscellaneous Stores	249,225	268,084	340,189	382,500	535,500	539,300
Medical Store	78,627	86,247	104,612	89,800	96,000	90,400
Supply and Transport Stores	40,548	24,755	51,005	40,500	54,000	48,400
Operations in Persian Gulf (Stores)	18,287	9,896	50,620	17,000	48,200	50,000
Stores taken to India with Troops . . . . .	...	83,579	36,825	33,300	35,300	32,500
TOTAL	£ 2,211,982	2,336,229	2,439,364	2,416,600	2,692,500	2,723,000
<i>Non-effective Services—</i>						
Payments to War Office for British Forces	859,597	879,875	898,331	925,000	919,300	935,000
Pensions, Indian Service	1,434,100	1,432,801	1,431,735	1,430,000	1,437,000	1,435,000
Other heads	169,411	172,003	174,473	176,000	179,000	179,000
TOTAL	£ 2,463,108	2,484,679	2,504,539	2,531,000	2,535,300	2,549,000
TOTAL ENGLAND	£ 4,675,090	4,820,908	4,943,903	4,947,600	5,227,800	5,272,000
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	£ 18,901,181	19,181,780	19,536,546	19,084,700	19,608,700	19,555,900
RECEIPTS.	R	R	R	R	R	R
India	R 84,75,854	95,94,755	1,04,91,423	1,19,42,000	1,23,78,000	1,22,71,000
Equivalent in sterling	£ 565,057	639,650	639,428	796,100	£ 25,300	£ 18,100
England	£ 412,671	418,909	479,968	858,500	860,300	868,600
TOTAL RECEIPTS	£ 977,728	1,058,640	1,179,396	1,154,900	1,185,500	1,186,700
TOTAL NET EXPENDITURE	£ 17,923,453	18,073,131	18,357,150	17,929,800	18,423,200	18,369,200

*Revised, 1912-13,
compared with
Budget, 1912-13.
Expenditure -
India.*

203. The Revised estimate of expenditure in India anticipates an excess of R36.57 lakhs (£243,800) over the Budget provision of R21,20.56 lakhs (£14,137,100). Of this excess the food charges account for R26.10 lakhs (£174,000) in consequence mainly of a rise in prices which was not anticipated when the Budget was framed; the provision in the latter was based on the probable actuals for 1911-12, so that the causes operating this year to keep up prices appear to be abnormal. The demand for military work parties in connection with the survey operations on the North-Eastern Frontier involves an extra outlay of R8.09 lakhs (£53,900); while another unexpected call arose from the National Health Insurance Act, under which we had to meet a liability in respect of the British soldiers serving in India amounting to R2.24 lakhs (£14,900). But for these three items which aggregate R36.43 lakhs (£242,800), and represent unforeseen liabilities which came into operation after the 1st April 1912, the Budget anticipations of March last would have proved in the main fairly accurate.

Various other causes have contributed to additional expenditure on the one hand and savings on the other, which, however, practically balance each other. More prominent among the former may be mentioned a grant of R3.00 lakhs (£20,000) towards laying in a reserve of fodder and of R4.00 lakhs (£26,700) to purchase about 1,200 mules from the Argentine with the object of reducing the excessive number of aged mules now serving. The assumption by the State of the liability of housing sildadar cavalry units, in return for their present contributions, has necessitated the writing off to expenditure of the outstanding cavalry lines loan of R3.74 lakhs (£24,900); and additional assistance to the extent of R1.25 lakhs (£8,300) has been given for the urgent repairs needed in the lines of Indian troops. Then the expenditure on account of the Army in India Committee is expected to reach R1.50 lakhs (£10,000); railway charges are likely to be higher than anticipated by R2.07 lakhs (£13,800); and some additional maxim gun and ordnance mules are being purchased at a cost of R1.30 lakhs (£8,700). It has also been deemed expedient to procure certain local stores this year in reduction of next year's requirements, and to make an advance payment towards the annual grant-in-aid to cantonments; these anticipatory charges amount to R7.88 lakhs (£52,500).

On the other hand, savings have accrued under several heads, notably in the pay and allowances of British troops to the extent of R6.37 lakhs (£42,500); a lapse of R4.88 lakhs (£32,500) occurred in the grant for the purchase of remounts; and our Ordnance expenditure shows a decrease of R7.61 lakhs (£50,700), partially due to larger recoveries amounting to R3.92 lakhs (£26,100) from the Home Government for stores and equipment taken by the additional troops sent to China at the close of 1911-12. The Indian estimates also have been relieved by R0.93 lakh (£6,200) owing to the employment of certain troops in Somaliland at the expense of the Protectorate, and a saving of R4.85 lakhs (£32,800) is anticipated in India in connection with the Arms Traffic Operations.

Home.

204. The total Army expenditure at Home shows an increase of £280,200, of which about £155,000 relates to the additional rifles found necessary and demanded during the year. The outlay at Home in connection with the Arms Traffic Operations has exceeded the Secretary of State's budget anticipations by £47,200, but, as stated above, there has been a saving of £32,300 in India. The outlay on the trooping service is expected to be £35,200 in excess of the budget provision owing to the larger number of voyages found necessary. Our ordinary store expenditure also rose by £59,300, partly on account of arrear charges. On the other hand, a saving is expected in the furlough allowances of officers of the Indian Service, and in connection with the re-armament of artillery and the provision of panoramic sights.

Receipts.

India and Home

205. The Revised estimate of receipts anticipates an improvement of £30,600 which practically all occurs in India, and is mainly due to larger payment issues and sales of ordnance stores, and to the credit now taken for the equipment, stores and animals sent to China with Indian units in 1911-12. On the other hand, the expected realizations by the disposal of surplus clothing stores have not been fully attained, and dairy produce sales have been less than was anticipated.

206. The net expenditure of the year is expected to be £493,400 more than the Budget provision, and may broadly be attributed to causes not in evidence when the estimate was framed in March last. *Net Expenditure*

207. The total provision for special or "Schedule" expenditure in the Budget of 1912-13 was R42 70 lakhs (£284,700), and it is anticipated that the actuals will amount to R58 74 lakhs (£391,600). An excess of £116,400 is expected in England, mainly due to an order having been placed for a large number of additional rifles on account of which about £155,000 will be paid this year, the difference being met from lapses due to non-compliance with the store demands put forward, notably in connection with the rearmament of the artillery now in hand and the supply of panoramic sights. This latter cause has retarded expenditure in India, where a lapse of £9,500 has occurred. *Special Expenditure*

208. The more important measures and the outlay on each during the current year are stated below approximately, in the absence of full details of the Home expenditure on individual measures :—

	Expenditure in 1912-13.	
	Lakhs. R	Equivalent in £
(I) Purchase of short rifles	33.64	224,300
(II) Rearmament of artillery	19.73	131,500
(III) New pattern bayonet for British troops	1.46	9,700
(IV) Panoramic sights for mobile artillery	1.11	7,400
(V) Increase of training grant	1.00	6,700

209. The Indian portion of the Army estimate for 1913-14 falls below the Revised estimate by R14 55 lakhs (£97,000). If we exclude the provision of R11 00 lakhs (£73,300) in 1913-14 for the acquisition of land for the new cantonment at Delhi, the decrease would be R25 55 lakhs (£170,300), and this may broadly be attributed to a variation of R26 10 lakhs (£174,000) in food charges as it has not been considered necessary to go beyond the Budget provision of the current year. Among other causes of decrease may be mentioned the following measures which have been specially sanctioned during the current year and do not find a place in next year's Budget—R3 00 lakhs (£20,000) incurred on a fodder reserve, R4 00 lakhs (£26,700) allotted for purchase of additional mules in the Argentine, remission of the loans outstanding against the Indian Cavalry line funds, R3 74 lakhs (£24,900), and the additional grant of R1 25 lakhs (£8,300) for the repair of the lines of Indian troops and followers. Anticipatory purchases of Ordnance and Supply and Transport stores and part payment in advance of the grant-in-aid to cantonments account for a decrease of R15 76 lakhs (£105,100), while the mustering out of the cavalry squadrons of the 42nd Deoli and 43rd Erinpura regiments produces an economy of R1 17 lakhs (£7,800) in pay charges. On the other hand, the pay and allowances of the army are R9 42 lakhs (£62,800) higher, the augmentation and regrading of the dairy and grass farms personnel and their larger operations account for an increase of R3 46 lakhs (£23,100); while for the purchase of remounts and ordnance mules an additional outlay of R6 19 lakhs (£41,300) is required. Railway charges show an expansion of R5 08 lakhs (£33,900) as the reliefs during the current year were on a low scale, and the provision for ordnance requirements is higher by R9 29 lakhs (£61,900) apart from the advance purchases referred to above. *Budget, 1913-14, compared with Revised, 1912-13. Expenditure—India.*

210. The Home estimates for 1913-14 are £44,200 more than the present year's Revised estimate. Our store demands are expected to cost £22 600 more, due to an increase in ordinary requirements owing mainly to depletion of stocks which more than counterbalances the decrease in Schedule expenditure, e.g., on short rifles. For the Indian Troop Service £41,200 more will be required, owing to the expected employment of hired transports on a larger scale and a smaller use of Royal Indian Marine vessels. An unusual payment of £17,000 for clothing allowance is not repeated next year, and the outlay in connection with the Arms Traffic Operations is £14,200 lower. *Home.*

211. The anticipated receipts in 1913-14 amount to R1.78 00 lakhs (£1,186,700), i.e., an increase of R0 18 lakh (£1,200) over the Revised. *Receipts. India and Home.*

Net Expenditure.

212. The net Army expenditure for 1913-14 is less than the Revised, 1912-13, by £54,000. Under India there is a decrease of £89,900, and under Home an increase of £35,900.

*Budget, 1913-14,
compared with
Budget, 1912-13.
India and Home.*

213. The gross estimated expenditure for 1913-14 is R29,33.38 lakhs (£19,555,900), or R70.68 lakhs (£471,200) above the Budget figure of the current year. Of this amount R22.02 lakhs (£146,800) occur in the Indian, and R48.66 lakhs (£324,400) in the Home estimates. The receipts show an improvement of R4.76 lakhs (£31,800), and the net Army expenditure for 1913-14 thus exceeds the original estimate for 1912-13 by R65.92 lakhs (£439,400).

*Special
Expenditure.*

214. The expenditure on Schedule measures incorporated in the Budget of 1913-14 is R64.00 lakhs (£426,700), as compared with R58.74 lakhs (£391,600) in the Revised, and R42.70 lakhs (£281,700) in the Budget 1912-13. The following are the more important measures proposed to be undertaken :—

		Further expenditure proposed in 1913-14 (India and Home).	
		Lakhs.	Equivalent in
(a) Measures in progress.		R	£
(1)	Rearmament of artillery	21.76	145,100
(2)	Purchase of short rifles	17.85	119,000
(3)	Panoramic sights for mobile artillery	1.40	9,300
(4)	Light entrenching tools	1.17	7,800
(5)	Web equipment	0.97	6,500
(6)	Extension of dairies	0.80	5,300
(7)	Wireless telegraph equipment	0.65	4,300
(8)	New pattern sword	0.60	4,000
(b) New Measures.			
(9)	Formation of a School of Aeronautics	2.33	15,500
(10)	Acquisition of land for new cantonment at Delhi	11.00	73,300
(11)	Increase of pay of sildadar grasscutters	1.18	7,900
(12)	Increase of training grant	1.00	6,700
(13)	Increase of pay of regimental followers	0.84	5,600
(14)	Increase of Army Bearer Corps	0.80	5,300
(15)	Increase and regrading of Farms personnel	0.60	4,000

XXXIII AND 46A.—MARINE.

			1912-13.		1913-14 Bud t.		
			Budget.	Revised.			
EXPENDITURE.							
India	R	37,79,010	35,64,182	37,61,989	34,35,000	37,92,000	34,01,000
Equivalent in sterling	£	251,934	237,612	250,796	229,000	252,800	226,700
England	£	209,228	208,255	199,932	218,100	224,000	251,600
Total	£	461,157	445,867	450,728	447,100	476,800	478,300
RECEIPTS—							
India	R	12,51,892	13,76,810	12,73,487	13,66,000	13,17,000	14,74,000
Equivalent in sterling	£	83,460	91,787	84,900	91,100	87,800	98,300
England . . . . .	£	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	£	83,460	91,787	84,900	91,100	87,800	98,300
NET EXPENDITURE	£	377,697	354,080	365,828	356,000	389,000	380,000

215. The total expenditure (India and Home) exceeds the Budget by £29,700, and there is a fall in the receipts to the extent of £3,300; the net expenditure is thus £33,000 more than the Budget.

The increase in Indian expenditure is due chiefly to the advance purchase of local stores, to the chartering of a private steamer to convey a mule corps from Madras to Burma owing to our Royal Indian Marine transports being fully employed elsewhere, and to coal for the subsidised vessels for which no provision was made in the Home store estimates having been supplied on payment from the stock maintained for the Arms Traffic Operations. Larger demands of stores account for the higher Home expenditure. The decrease in receipts in India is largely due to smaller recoveries from the Imperial Government for the hire of Royal Indian Marine vessels.

216. The Budget included £750 for the provision of a ferry barge at Calcutta. This was ultimately found unnecessary, but an expenditure of £3,400 had to be incurred in providing additional life boats for the Royal Indian Marine transports.

217. The Budget for 1913-14, as compared with the Revised of 1912-13, shows an increase of £1,500 in expenditure, and an increase of £10,500 in receipts, or a net decrease of £9,000. Omitting the transactions in connection with the purchase of advance stores and the chartering of a private steamer to convey a mule corps to Burma, referred to above, the Budget for next year would be Rs 60 lakhs (£24,000) more than the probable actuals this year. Of this increase, £27,600 occurs at home mainly for higher store demands owing to depletion of stocks, while the Indian provision is lower by £3,600. Larger receipts are anticipated for services rendered and stores supplied by the dock-yards.

No special expenditure is proposed in 1913-14

XXXIV and 47.—MILITARY WORKS.

		Accounts, 1909-10.	Accounts, 1910-11.	Accounts, 1911-12.	1912-13.		1913-14. Budget.
					Budget.	Revised.	
ORDINARY EXPENDITURE.							
India	R	95,09,518	99,66,267	96,54,399	95,23,000	95,75,000	97,24,000
Equivalent in sterling	£	633,968	664,418	643,627	634,900	638,300	648,800
England	£	19,041	17,379	22,120	11,100	21,700	14,800
TOTAL	£	653,009	681,797	665,747	646,000	660,000	662,600
RECEIPTS.							
India	R	11,36,600	10,58,888	11,81,866	10,80,000	11,00,000	11,40,000
Equivalent in sterling	£	75,773	70,593	78,791	72,000	73,300	76,000
England . . . . .	£	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	£	75,773	70,593	78,791	72,000	73,300	76,000
Net expenditure, Ordinary	£	577,236	611,204	586,956	574,000	586,700	586,600
SPECIAL DEMANDS EXPENDITURE.							
India	R	28,47,665	31,09,187	34,31,705	31,35,000	31,84,000	42,15,000
Equivalent in ster	£	189,844	207,279	228,780	209,000	212,300	281,000
England	£	15,489	11,361	15,130	5,500	8,300	5,500
TOTAL	£	205,333	218,640	243,910	214,500	220,600	286,500
TOTAL NET EXPENDITURE	£	782,569	829,844	830,866	788,500	807,300	873,100

Revised, 1912-13,
compared with
Budget, 1912-13.
Expenditure,
Receipts and Net
Expenditure.
India and Home.

Special Expendi-
ture.

Budget, 1913-14,
compared with
Revised, 1912-13.
India and Home.

Special Expendi-
ture.

Revised, 1912-13,
compared with
Budget, 1912-13,
India and Home.

Ordinary
Expenditure.

Receipts.

Special Demands.
Expenditure.

Net Expenditure.

Budget, 1913-14,
compared with
Budget, 1912-13,
India and Home.

Ordinary
Expenditure.

Receipts.

Special Demands.

Expenditure.

Net Expenditure.

218. Under this head the Ordinary expenditure, and the expenditure on Military Works Schedule (Special Demands) measures, are separately compiled in the ordinary course of accounting. Under Ordinary expenditure the Revised anticipates an excess of £14,000, including an additional grant of R2 00 lakhs (£13,300) given for urgent repairs.

219. The Military Works receipts represent the rents derived from military quarters, recoveries for water supply and electrical power, the sale-proceeds of stores, and with effect from the 1st October 1912 the rental and repair recoveries from silladar cavalry units whose lines have been taken over by the Military Works Services. The improvement of R 20 lakh (£1,300) is mainly due to the new recoveries from silladar regiments.

220. Under Special Demands there is an excess of R 91 lakh (£6,100), mainly due to funds becoming available to admit of the acceleration of works in progress. The bulk of the expenditure has been applied to the improvement of the accommodation of Indian troops and followers (£82,700), to buildings in progress at Risalpur, Murree Hills, Kirkee, Takdah, Dacca and Rajkot, to the provision of improved water supply arrangements and of better storage accommodation for cordite at certain places.

221. On Military Works expenditure as a whole, a net increase of R2 82 lakhs (£18,800) is expected.

222. The Ordinary Military Works grant for 1913-14 has been fixed at R99 38 lakhs (£662,600), or R2 49 lakhs (£16,600) more than in 1912-13.

The allotment proposed for 1913-14 represents the normal accepted grant for this head, while that of 1912-13 was restricted by a curtailment of works which cannot be repeated.

223. The anticipated increase of R 60 lakh (£4,000) in receipts, allows for the new receipts from silladar cavalry units, and for some expansion in rents and water rates.

224. The provision made for Special Demands, namely, R42 98 lakhs (£286,500) is R10 80 lakhs (£72,000) more than that of 1912-13. The bulk of this expenditure has been allotted to the prosecution of the works mentioned in paragraph 220 including R12 75 lakhs (£85,000) for the lines of Indian troops under reconstruction, R5 00 lakhs (£33,300) for buildings in the new cantonment at Delhi, R3 47 lakhs (£23,100) for rentable quarters for officers and subordinates, R2 02 lakhs (£13,500) for the improvement of the water supply arrangements at various stations, R1 46 lakhs (£9,700) for the accommodation of British troops in the hills, and R0 62 lakh (£4,100) for aviation buildings.

The allotments for new works amount to R12 80 lakhs (£85,300).

225. The net expenditure proposed in 1913-14 is thus R12 69 lakhs (£84,600) more than the Budget figure for 1912-13, represented by an increase of R1 89 lakhs (£12,600) under Ordinary, and of R10 80 lakhs (£72,000) under Special Demands.

47A.—SPECIAL DEFENCES.

			Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		1913-1914, Budget.
						Budget.	Revised.	
EXPENDITURE.								
India	.	R	82,934	38,785	40,570	1,75,000	1,00,000	2,62,000
Equivalent in Sterling	.	£	5,529	2,588	2,705	14,600	6,600	17,400
England	.	£	23,075	5,401	2,001	8,600	9,300	7,100
TOTAL	.		28,604	7,987	4,706	20,200	15,900	24,500

Revised, 1912-13.

Budget, 1913-14.

Special Expenditure

226. The Revised shows a decrease due to delay in the supply of stores from England.

The allotment in 1913-14 is mainly required for works in progress.

The entire charges are treated as Special.

MILITARY SERVICES: SUMMARY.

		Accounts, 1909-1910.	Accounts, 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		1913-1914 Budget.
					Budget.	Revised.	
EXPENDITURE—							
India	R	22,96,10,489	23,13,41,500	23,57,78,260	22,83,24,000	23,23,64,000	23,18,60,000
Equivalent in Sterling	£	15,307,366	15,422,767	15,718,551	15,221,600	15,490,900	15,457,300
England	£	4,941,918	5,063,304	5,183,086	5,190,900	5,491,100	5,550,500
Total expenditure	£	20,249,284	20,486,071	20,901,637	20,412,500	20,982,000	21,007,800
RECEIPTS—							
India	R	1,08,84,346	1,20,30,453	1,29,46,776	1,43,88,000	1,47,95,000	1,48,85,000
Equivalent in Sterling	£	724,290	802,030	863,119	959,200	986,300	992,400
England	£	412,671	418,999	479,938	358,800	360,300	368,600
Total Receipts	£	1,136,961	1,221,029	1,343,057	1,318,000	1,346,600	1,361,000
NET EXPENDITURE	£	19,112,323	19,265,042	19,558,580	19,094,500	19,635,400	19,646,800

227. Summarising, the total net Military expenditure during the current year is expected to exceed the restricted Budget of 1912-13, by R81.14 lakhs (£540,900), and the net provision for the coming year is estimated at R82.86 lakhs (£552,300) over the present year's budget. In the main, the increase in the current year may be ascribed to—

Liabilities incurred after Budget, 1912-13, was closed.

	Lakhs of R	£
Additional Schedule expenditure, mainly for rifles	16.71	111,400
Purchase of additional mules	4.00	26,700
Reserve of fodder	3.00	20,000
Remission of loans outstanding against Indian Cavalry line funds	3.74	24,900
Contribution under the National Insurance Act	2.24	14,900
Expenditure in connection with the 3 Military work parties on the North-Eastern Frontier	8.09	53,900

Other increases.

Additional outlay on ordinary Home Army stores, partly due to arrears	8.90	59,300
Larger expenditure in connection with the Arms Traffic Operations	2.23	14,900
Increased food charges mainly on account of rise in prices	26.10	174,000
More ordinary Marine charges in India	3.17	21,100
Addition to the ordinary grant for Military Works	2.10	14,000
	<u>80.28</u>	<u>535,100</u>

The net increase in 1913-14 may be roughly explained as follows :—

	Lakhs of R	£
Restoration of the temporary reductions—ordinary and schedule—made in the Budget, 1912-13	26.43	176,200
Acquisition of land and commencement of building operations in connection with the new cantonment at Delhi	16.00	106,700
Additional Home Ordinary store demands	28.00	186,600
Additional Special or Schedule provision	5.36	35,700
Contribution under the National Health Insurance Act	3.22	21,500
Increased relief grant	2.44	16,300
	<u>81.45</u>	<u>543,000</u>

CAPITAL EXPENDITURE ON RAILWAYS AND IRRIGATION AND OTHER WORKS NOT CHARGED TO REVENUE.

RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION.

Revised, 1912-13.

228. In the Budget for 1912-13, a sum of R13·50 lakhs was allotted for expenditure on Railway Construction for which the Government of India undertake financial responsibility. During the course of the year the grant was raised to R15,76·41 lakhs of which R76·41 lakhs were specially added to meet the pressing demand for wagons. Special efforts were made during the year to avoid the heavy lapses in grants which have taken place in recent years; and as a result, the bulk of the enhanced grant is expected to be utilised, the Revised estimate standing at R15,09·62 lakhs. Of the total lapse of R66·79 lakhs, R58·11 lakhs are expected in the special grant for wagons.

Budget, 1913-14.

229. For 1913-14 the programme of Capital outlay on Railway Construction has been placed at R18 crores, i.e., about R3 crores higher than the probable expenditure in the current year. Of this sum about R2 crores have been earmarked for the supply of additional wagons.

230. The distribution of the total expenditure on Railway Construction between State and Companies' agency in each of the three years from 1911-12 to 1913-14 is as follows :—

	Accounts, 1911-1912.	1912-1913.		1913-1914, Budget.
		Budget.	Revised.	
1. Outlay on State Lines :				
(a) India	{ R 7,26,11,790	8,38,01,000	9,66,00,000	11,40,53,000
	{ £ 4,840,786	5,586,700	6,440,000	7,603,500
(b) England	£ 2,140,598	2,250,000	2,502,000	2,509,900
TOTAL	£ 6,981,384	7,836,700	8,942,000	10,118,400
2. Outlay of Companies :				
(a) India	{ R 39,16,391	27,80,000	14,82,000	9,85,000
	{ £ 261,093	185,400	98,800	65,700
(b) England	£ 671,916	977,900	1,023,300	1,820,900
TOTAL	£ 933,009	1,163,300	1,122,100	1,886,600
Total of Programme	£ 7,914,393	9,000,000	10,064,100	12,000,000

The following amounts of outlay in England on account of purchased lines worked by Companies are included in the Indian figures under outlay on State lines :—

£2,152,576 3,240,500 3,481,700 4,359,200

The details of the Budget grant for 1913-14 are shown below:—

[Lakhs of rupees.]

	OPEN LINE.			CONSTRUCTION OF	
	Rolling Stock.	Other items.	Total.	Lines in progress.	New lines.
I.—OUTLAY ON STATE RAILWAYS:—					
1. Assam-Bengal:—					
(i) Open line	32.50	10.80	42.80	...	...
(ii) Bhairab Bazar-Tangi . . . . .	...	...	...	17.86	...
(iii) Kalaura-Sylhet . . . . .	...	...	...	7.00	...
2. Berwada Extension . . . . .	...	.02	.02	...	...
3. Bombay, Baroda and Central India:—					
(i) Main line	79.51	120.78	200.29	...	...
(ii) Broach-Jambhar . . . . .	...	...	...	4.00	...
(iii) Bavana-Agra . . . . .	...	...	...	.51	...
4. Burma Extensions:—					
(i) Open line . . . . .	...	1.00	1.00	...	...
(ii) Southern Shan States . . . . .	...	...	...	35.61	...
5. Dhono-Kurnool . . . . .	...	.05	.05	...	...
6. East Indian:—					
(i) Open line	91.8	69.26	161.04	...	...
(ii) Bokaro-Ramgarh . . . . .	...	...	...	4.52	...
(iii) Katwa-Barharwa . . . . .	...	...	...	9.24	...
7. Eastern Bengal System:—					
(i) Open line	52.14	79.74	131.88	...	...
(ii) Rajabhatkhawa-Dalsingpara . . . . .	...	...	...	.51	...
(iii) Rangia-Tangla . . . . .	...	...	...	.60	...
(iv) Singhjani-Fulchhari . . . . .	...	...	...	6.71	...
8. Great Indian Peninsula System:—					
(i) Main line	119.40	169.49	288.89	...	...
(ii) Itarsi-Nagpur, etc. . . . .	...	...	...	25.37	...
(iii) Azra-Delhi Chord . . . . .	...	1.60	1.60	...	...
(iv) Bhopal . . . . .	...	.22	.22	...	...
(v) Harbour Branch Extension . . . . .	...	...	...	13.02	...
9. Jodhpur-Hyderabad (British Section) . . . . .	...	1.25	1.25	...	...
10. Lower Ganges Bridge . . . . .	...	...	...	88.00	...
11. North Western:—					
(i) Main line	136.76	85.42	222.18	...	...
(ii) Trans-Indus (Kalabagh-Bannu, etc.) . . . . .	...	...	...	3.43	...
(iii) Sarai Kala-Havelian . . . . .	...	...	...	3.50	...
(iv) Jakhai-Hissar . . . . .	...	...	...	2.94	...
(v) Jullundur-Hoshiarpur . . . . .	...	...	...	1.90	...
12. Oudh and Rohilkhand:—					
(i) Main line (including Allahabad-Rae Bareilly-Cawnpore and Dhakia-Sambhal Railway)	42.06	30.41	72.47	...	...
(ii) Cawnpore-Banda and Sumerpur-Belatal Branch . . . . .	...	...	...	18.00	...
13. South Indian System:—					
(i) Main line	46.80	68.10	109.90	...	...
(ii) Coonoor-Ootacamund	2.80	.83	3.63	...	...
(iii) Tinnevely-Quilon—British Section . . . . .	...	.05	.05	...	...
(iv) Do. Native State Section . . . . .	...	.02	.02	...	...
14. Tirhoot and extensions:—					
(i) Open line	4.58	10.29	14.87	...	...
(ii) Samastipore-Roserah . . . . .	...	...	...	.99	...
(iii) Roserah-Shakarpur-Khagaria . . . . .	...	...	...	7.04	...
15. Payments to Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for capital stock respecting which the holders exercised the option of transfer to the Secretary of State for India . . . . .	...	.71	.71	...	...
16. Reserve . . . . .	...	13.40	13.40	...	...
	608.38	657.94	1,266.27	250.75	...
II.—OUTLAY OF INDIAN RAILWAY COMPANIES:—					
1. Bengal-Nagpur	108.30	41.07	149.37	30.57	...
2. Burma	13.95	36.15	50.10	...	...
3. Lucknow-Bareilly . . . . .	...	.68	.68	...	...
4. Madras and Southern Mahratta	29.54	24.08	53.62	...	...
	151.79	100.62	252.41	30.57	...

231. The policy of devoting the greater part of the programme grant to the improvement of open lines has been maintained, and an allotment of Rs 15,18 68 lakhs made for open line works and rolling stock. The heavy demands of open lines have made it impossible to allot any portion of the increased grant to the construction of new lines; but funds to the extent of Rs 2,81.32 lakhs have been provided for lines under construction to permit of a reasonable rate of progress being maintained on them.

232. The figures in the table in paragraph 230 do not include the expenditure on Protective Railways, met from the Famine Insurance grant, nor of Branch line Companies. Including this expenditure, and also some small expenditure from Provincial revenues, the total outlay on Railway Construction in the three years is as follows:—

	Accounts, 1911-1912.	Revised Estimate, 1912-1913.	Budget Estimate, 1913-1914.
	R	R	R
Total as in preceding table . . .	11,87,15,888	15,09,62,000	18,00,00,000
Famine Protective Lines . . .	6,64,132	6,58,000	1,29,000
Branch Lines . . .	8,02,819	10,93,000	24,25,000
Provincial State Line . . .	12,535	61,000	32,000
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Grand total in Rupees . . .	12,01,95,374	16,27,74,000	18,25,86,000
Grand total in £ sterling at Rs 15 to the £	8,013,025	10,184,900	12,172,400

CONSTRUCTION OF PRODUCTIVE IRRIGATION WORKS.

233. The figures are—

	Accounts, 1911-12.	Budget, 1912-13.	Revised, 1912-13.	Budget, 1913-14.
Total in Rupees . . .	2,30,47,005	2,12,33,000	2,16,27,000	2, 0 "0,000
Equivalent in Sterling . .	1,536,531	1,415,500	1,441,800	1,4c 700

234. The Budget grant of R212 33 lakhs has been raised to R216 27 lakhs *Revised, 1912-13.* in the Revised, owing to satisfactory progress on the Triple Canal scheme in the Punjab and on the Upper Swat River Canal, as well as to the commencement of work on the permanent headworks of the Ganges Canal at Hardwar for which no provision was made in the Budget. The grant in next year's Budget has been fixed at R220 lakhs. *Budget, 1913-14.* The following table shows the projects included in the programme of 1912-13 as now revised and in that of 1913-14, together with the amount to be spent on each:—

Name of Project.	Expenditure in	
	1912-13.	1913-14.
	R	R
<i>Canals in operation—</i>		
Mandalay Canal	1,000	3,000
Shwebo "	1,44,000	85,000
Ganges Canal, including Mat and Hathras branches and permanent head works	7,25,000	10,71,000
Lower Ganges Canal	62,000	45,000
Agra Canal	1,15,000	82,000
Eastern Jumna Canal	38,000	21,000
Western " "	80,000	41,000
Upper Bari Doab "	—2,10,000	7,00,000
Sirhind Canal	1,09,000	1,25,000
Lower Chenab Canal	8,30,000	8,50,000
Lower Jhelum "	—34,000	1,00,000
Indus Inundation Canal	22,000	1,00,000
Godavari Delta	1,22,000	2,16,000
Kistna "	—25,000	6,000
Cauvery "	43,000	70,000
Periyar Project	18,000	31,000
Divi Island Project	8,000	12,000
Jamrao Canal	37,000	80,000
Other Projects	3,55,000	3,23,000
<i>Canals under construction—</i>		
Asola Mendha Tank works	1,58,000	1,26,000
Weinganga Canal	4,42,000	7,99,000
Mahanadi "	4,50,000	10,75,000
Mon Canals	1,38,000	88,000
Ye-u Canal	6,12,000	8,24,000
Twante Canal	19,08,000	14,00,000
Upper Chenab Canal	24,07,000	28,00,000
Upper Jhelum "	57,58,000	52,12,000
Lower Bari Doab Canal	41,00,000	33,00,000
Upper Swat River Canal	31,23,000	32,00,000
Nagavalli River Project	93,	65,000
Gorai Canal . . . . .	...	50,000
Reserve . . . . .	...	11,00,000
Probable savings . . . . .	...	—15,00,000
TOTAL R	2,16,27,000	2,20,00,000
Equivalent in Sterling £	1,441,800	1,468,700

Of the total grant of R220 lakhs, about R180 lakhs will be allotted to canals under construction and the balance (*viz.*, about R40 lakhs) will be devoted to the completion and development of canals in operation. A major portion of the former sum will be again applied to push on work in connection with the

Triple Canal project in the Punjab and with the Upper Swat River Canal in the Frontier Province. Large allotments of R14 lakhs and R10·75 lakhs have also been made respectively for the Twante Canal in Burma and the Mahanadi Canal in the Central Provinces. A considerable portion of the grant for canals in operation will be applied to meet outlay on the headworks of the Ganges Canal.

INITIAL OUTLAY ON THE NEW CAPITAL AT DELHI.

235. In the Budget estimate for the current year provision was made for a grant of R2 crores for the construction of the new Imperial Capital at Delhi. Careful investigations about the proper site of the Capital and other connected questions have, however, delayed the commencement of work on the permanent city and the total capital expenditure in 1912-13 is not likely to exceed R16·78 lakhs made up as follows:—

	India.	(Lakhs of Rupees) England.
(i) Cost of preliminary investigations including charges of experts	1·24	1·05
(ii) Land acquisition :		
(a) Establishment		·52
(b) Purchase money		12·50
	13·02	...
(iii) Value of copper wires and pipes taken over from Temporary Delhi	1·00	...
(iv) Charges of the Chief Engineer who has been recently appointed to control work in Permanent Delhi, and his staff	·41	...
(v) Malarial survey	·06	...
	16·78	1·05
	16·78	

236. In the Budget estimate of 1913-14 a provision of R2 crores has been made under this head to permit of a vigorous prosecution of work on the permanent city.

WAYS AND MEANS.**HOME TREASURY.**

237. The bulk of the payments made in England on account of the Government of India consists of expenditure chargeable to the Indian revenues; and if this represented the only charges, the Ways and Means programme would be a simple arrangement, as the whole of the expenditure would ordinarily be met by remittance of funds from India. The capital outlay on the construction of railways and irrigation works, however, necessitates heavy borrowing; and the major portion of the money required is usually raised in England, either direct or through the agency of Companies. A further complication is introduced by the practice under which all payments made in England to Railway Companies working purchased lines, for purchase of stores and other capital purposes, as well as all moneys raised by them and paid into the Home Treasury, are brought to account under the appropriate heads in this country and are treated in the Home accounts and estimates as remittances to or from India respectively. The transactions connected with the Gold Standard Reserve, and with the replacement of one particular form or item of direct or indirect debt by another, also largely swell the receipts and charges of the Home Treasury without affecting the general Ways and Means programme.

238. The following are the details of the transactions appearing in the Budget and Revised estimates of the Home Treasury for 1912-13 and in the Budget estimate of 1913-14.

	Budget, 1912-1913.	Revised, 1912-1913.	Budget, 1913-1914.
	£	£	£
RECEIPTS.			
Capital raised and deposited by Railway Companies—			
For Capital outlay	1,812,100	499,000	3,002,000
*For discharge of debentures	1,570,400	160,000	1,415,000
Deposits and Advances—			
Gold Standard Reserve	11,245,700	11,363,900	6,178,100
*Paper Currency Reserve . . . . .	...	1,600,000	...
Other items	1,000	8,600	24,600
Remittance Account between England and India—			
Railway transactions	5,300	24,600	504,800
Gold received from India . . . . .	...	327,900	450,000
Other transactions	1,008,000	1,549,800	1,390,000
Total Receipts, excluding Council Bills and Loans	15,642,500	15,533,800	12,964,500
DISBURSEMENTS.			
Excess of Expenditure over Revenue	19,293,400	19,437,900	19,579,400
Railway and Irrigation Capital not charged to Revenue—			
Outlay on State Railways, Irrigation Works and Delhi	2,278,800	2,542,300	2,603,100
Outlay of Railway Companies	980,000	1,027,300	1,822,900
*Payments to Railway Companies for discharge of debentures	1,570,400	160,000	1,415,000
Permanent Debt discharged	1,977,000	1,977,600	1,781,200
Temporary Debt discharged	4,500,000	4,500,000	...
Deposits and Advances—			
Gold Standard Reserve : Investments	11,266,400	11,432,600	6,164,500
*Paper Currency Reserve . . . . .	...	1,600,000	...
Other transactions	1,000	180,100	25,000
Remittance Account between England and India—			
Railway transactions	3,288,000	3,550,300	4,914,900
Purchase of Silver . . . . .	...	7,030,000	...
Other transactions	601,400	81,500	575,400
Total Disbursements	45,762,000	54,279,800	38,881,400
NET DISBURSEMENTS	30,119,500	38,745,800	25,916,900
Financed as follows—			
Council Bills	15,500,000	25,660,000	21,650,000
Permanent Debt incurred	3,000,000	3,000,000	...
Reduction of cash balance	11,619,500	10,085,800	4,266,900
Total	30,119,500	38,745,800	25,916,900
Opening balance	19,395,900	19,463,700	9,377,900
Closing Balance	7,776,400	9,377,900	5,111,000

* The heads marked with an asterisk appear on both the receipt and payment sides. As the receipt and disbursement under each of them are generally equal, they do not ordinarily affect the Ways and Means of the year to any material extent.

Revised, 1912-13.

General.

239. The net disbursements in 1912-13 are now taken at £38,745,800 or £8,626,300 more than the Budget. A sum of £7,060,000 has been spent on the purchase of silver for the coinage of rupees in India, for which no provision was made in the Budget estimate. The deposits of capital by railway companies are less by £1,313,100 owing to a much smaller issue of debentures of the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway Company than was contemplated in the Budget. There is an aggregate excess of £573,100 in the capital expenditure on railways and irrigation works, inclusive of outlay on companies and payments to companies working purchased railways. There is also an increase of £139,500 in the net expenditure chargeable to revenue; and of £210,100 in the miscellaneous payments which are treated in the Home Treasury accounts as remittances to India, caused chiefly by a larger demand for stores on the part of Provincial Governments, supply of national health insurance stamps to British soldiers serving in India, and higher remittances by soldiers for deposit in the Post Office Savings Bank. The increase in the net disbursement from these various sources amount to £9,295,800; but a portion of it is counterbalanced by a total improvement of £669,500 under the other items shown in the table on the preceding page, which arises mainly from a special receipt of £327,900 in gold from India and a rise of £303,700 in the net receipts in connection with postal and money order transactions exchanged between England and India.

240. The briskness of the export trade has again led to a heavy demand for remittance of funds to India; and the total drawings of the Secretary of State in the current year are now expected to amount to £25,660,000, the whole of which will be used to meet the disbursements of the Home Treasury, against a Budget estimate of £15,500,000. The additional funds thus obtained will more than suffice to meet the increase in the net disbursements mentioned in the preceding paragraph; and the balances of the Home Treasury will be drawn on to the extent of £10,085,800 only instead of £11,619,500 as provided in the Budget. A remittance of £1,927,900 in gold was also received during the year from India; but of this amount £1,600,000 was deposited at the Bank of England on account of the Paper Currency Reserve, and only £327,900 was used for general purposes.

241. The details of the transactions in respect of capital raised and deposited by Railway Companies are as follows:—

1912-13. Capital raised and deposited by Railway Companies.

RECEIPTS.		Budget, 1912-13.	Revised, 1912-13.
		£	£
(a) <i>Subscribed Capital—</i>			
(i) <i>To discharge Debentures—</i>			
Bengal-Nagpur Railway		1,160,400	...
Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway		410,000	160,000
(ii) <i>To meet Capital outlay—</i>			
Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway		1,810,000	495,000
		<u>3,380,400</u>	<u>655,000</u>
(b) <i>Miscellaneous—</i>			
Transfer fees, etc.		2,100	4,000
		<u>3,382,500</u>	<u>659,000</u>
TOTAL RECEIPTS			
		3,382,500	659,000
ISSUES		£	£
For discharge of Debentures		1,570,400	160,000
For Capital outlay, i.e., Stores, Establishment Charges, etc.		980,000	1,027,300
		<u>2,550,400</u>	<u>1,187,300</u>
TOTAL			
		2,550,400	1,187,300

The Budget estimate provided for the replacement by fresh capital of £1,570,400 debentures of the Bengal Nagpur and Southern Mahratta Railway Companies and for the raising of £2 millions of new capital by the latter Company, the net proceeds of which were expected to amount to £1,810,000. The Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway Company has actually issued only £500,000 of new debentures which have produced £495,000; and it expects to replace only £160,000 of the debentures maturing during the year. £250,000 of the debentures of this Company, as well as the whole of the debentures of the Bengal Nagpur Railway Company which fell in during 1912-13, have been renewed.

242. The following are the details of the Railway remittance transactions. As already explained, they occur almost wholly in connection with the capital account of the purchased lines worked by companies:—

	Budget, 1912-13.	Revised, 1912-13.	1912-13. Railway remittances.
RECEIPTS.			
<i>Miscellaneous—</i>			
Transfer fees, etc.	5,300	24,600	
ISSUES.			
<i>Advances for purchase of stores—</i>			
East Indian Railway	875,200	890,500	
South Indian Railway	519,000	562,700	
Bengal and North-Western Railway	88,000	145,000	
Great Indian Peninsula Railway	1,169,100	1,264,800	
Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway (including Rajputana-Malwa Railway)	594,500	648,300	
TOTAL	3,245,800	3,506,300	
<i>Miscellaneous payments—</i>			
East Indian Railway: Rental paid to South Behar Railway Company	30,000	30,000	
Rohilkund and Kumaon Railway: Interest on Debenture Stock allocated to State works	7,200	9,000	
South Indian Railway: Special payment to be adjusted against the Company's share of surplus profits	5,000	5,000	
TOTAL ISSUES	3,288,000	3,550,300	

243. In accordance with the Budget programme, an issue of £3 million India 3½ per cent. stock was made in April 1912, the price of issue being fixed at 93; and the whole of the outstanding India bills amounting to £4½ millions, were discharged together with £500,000 India bonds and £1,477,600 debentures of the Indian Midland and Madras Railway companies.

244. The Budget estimates provide for a net disbursement of £25,916,900. The decrease of £4,202,600 over the net disbursement in the current year's Budget is the net result of the following variations:—

<i>Worse.</i>	
	£
Net expenditure on Revenue account, more	281,000
Outlay on State Railways, more	259,900
Net payments to Railway Companies, more	780,400
Outlay on Irrigation Works, more	59,400
New Capital at Delhi—Miscellaneous Payments, more	5,000
<i>Better.</i>	
Receipt of light-weight gold coins from India	450,000
Deposits, Advances and Miscellaneous Remittance transactions, net	44,900
Permanent Debt discharged, less	196,400
Temporary Debt discharged, less	4,500,000

245. The details working up to the increase of £780,400 in the net payments to Railway Companies shown in the preceding paragraph are given below :—

	Budget, 1912-1913. £	Budget, 1913-1914. £
RECEIPTS—		
Capital deposits by Railway Companies —		
For capital outlay	1,812,100	3,002,000
For discharge of debentures	1,570,400	1,415,000
Remittance account between England and India—		
Railway transactions	5,800	504,800
Total receipts	3,387,800	4,921,800
DISBURSEMENTS—		
Railway and Irrigation capital not charged to Revenue—		
Outlay of Railway Companies	980,000	1,822,900
Payment for discharge of debentures	1,570,400	1,415,000
Remittance account between England and India—		
Railway Transactions	3,288,000	4,914,900
Total disbursements	5,838,400	8,152,800
NET DISBURSEMENTS	2,450,600	3,231,000
Increase	780,400	

246. The Budget Estimate for 1913-14 provides for the receipt from India of £450,000 light-weight sovereigns and half sovereigns which have been withdrawn from circulation. The improvement under Deposit, Advance and Miscellaneous Remittance transactions is mainly due to an increased provision of £270,000 for receipts on account of postal and money order transactions, following the large improvement which has taken place under this item in the current year.

247. Provision has been made in the estimates for the discharge of the following liabilities which mature during the year :—

	£
Indian Midland Railway Debentures	1,111,200
Madras Railway Debentures	170,000
India Bonds	500,000
	<u>1,781,200</u>

248. Of the net disbursement of £25,916,900, it is proposed to meet £21,650,000 by Council Bills and the balance of £4,266,900 by drawing on the cash balances of the Home Treasury which are estimated to stand on the 31st March 1914 at £5,111,000, inclusive of £1,018,600 held as cash at short notice on behalf of the Gold Standard Reserve. It is not contemplated to raise any sterling loan in the ensuing year.

249. The following are the details of the transactions of the Gold Standard Reserve in England :—

	1912-13.		1913-14.
	Budget. £	Revised. £	Budget. £
RECEIPTS.			
(a) Dividend on investments, Discount on Treasury Bills and Interest on Loans at short notice	539,000	517,600	563,600
(b) Withdrawals from Paper Currency Reserve . . . . .	...	1,200,000	...
(c) Exchequer Bonds, British Treasury Bills and Colonial Government Securities, etc., paid off	10,706,700	9,646,800	5,614,500
Total	11,245,700	11,363,900	6,178,100
CHARGES.			
Investments made	11,266,400	9,812,600	5,614,500
Deposit of Gold at the Bank of . . . . .	...	1,620,000	550,000
	11,266,400	11,432,600	6,164,500

250. The following statement shows the transactions and balances of the fund in the two years in England and India taken together :—

	Budget, 1912-13. £	Revised, 1912-13. £	Budget, 1913-14. £
OPENING BALANCE—			
(a) Invested (cost price)	16,744,300	16,748,100	16,914,400
(b) Uninvested—			
(1) Gold set aside in the Bank of England . . . . .	...	...	1,620,000
(2) Rupees held in India	1,934,300	1,934,300	4,000,000
(3) Cash in the Home Treasury placed at short notice	1,075,300	1,073,700	1,005,000
	19,753,900	19,756,100	23,539,400
CLOSING BALANCE—			
(a) Invested (cost price)	17,304,000	16,914,400	16,914,400
(b) Uninvested—			
(1) Gold set aside in the Bank of England . . . . .	...	1,620,000	2,170,000
(2) Rupees held in India	1,934,300	4,000,000	4,000,000
(3) Cash in the Home Treasury placed at short notice	1,054,600	1,005,000	1,018,600
	20,292,900	23,539,400	24,103,000
Difference between opening and closing balance representing net income in the year and made up as follows :—			
(1) Interest, etc., on investments in England (<i>vide</i> paragraph 249)	539,000	517,600	563,600
(2) Profit on new rupee coinage in India . . . . .	...	3,265,700	...
TOTAL	539,000	3,783,300	563,600

251. The coinage of rupees from the silver which has been purchased for £7,060,000 is expected to yield a net profit of £3,265,700 which will be available for transfer to the Gold Standard Reserve. Of this sum £2,065,700 has been utilised to raise the rupees in the Indian branch of the Reserve to the prescribed amount of £4 millions. The balance, *viz.*, £1,200,000, will be remitted to England through the Paper Currency Department—the amount being paid to it in India against an opposite payment by it to the Gold Standard Reserve in England. The earmarking of gold on account of the Gold Standard Reserve at the Bank of England is in pursuance of the Secretary of State's decision to hold £5 millions of the Reserve in liquid gold in England.

252. The Secretary of State has also agreed that the limit which the sterling assets of the Gold Standard Reserve in England must attain before any portion of the profits on rupee coinage can be diverted for other purposes should be fixed at £25,000,000, the value of the securities held being taken at the market price instead of cost price. For this purpose, a half-yearly valuation of the securities is made on 30th September and 31st March and on the basis of the valuation made on 30th September 1912—the closing balances of gold in England for the Revised and Budget stand as follows:—

	Revised, 1912-13. £	Budget, 1913-14. £
1. Market price of securities on 30th September	9,596,400	9,596,400
2. Cost price of securities purchased between 1st October and 31st March	6,354,800	6,354,800
3. Gold in the Bank of England	1,620,000	2,170,000
4. Cash in the Home Treasury	1,005,000	1,018,600
	<u>18,576,200</u>	<u>19,139,800</u>

The above gives a reduction of £963,200 as compared with the cost price given in paragraph 250.

253. The following is a summary of the figures relating to Council Bills and the Sterling Debt of Government and of Railway Companies (omitting transfer fees, etc.) included in the estimates for 1912-13 and 1913-14:—

	Budget, 1912-1913. £	Revised, 1912-1913. £	Budget, 1913-1914. £
RECEIPTS.			
Council Bills	15,500,000	25,660,000	21,650,000
Permanent Debt incurred (India Stock)	3,000,000	3,000,000	...
Receipts on account of the Subscribed Capital of Railway Companies	3,380,400	6,55,000	4,415,000
Receipts on account of the Debenture Capital of Railway Companies working purchased Railways . . . . .	...	...	500,000
OUTGOINGS.			
Permanent Debt discharged	1,997,600	1,977,600	1,781,200
Temporary Debt discharged	4,500,000	4,500,000	...
Discharge of Railway Companies' Debentures (inclusive of debentures of companies working purchased lines)	1,570,400	160,000	1,915,000

254. The programme herein announced of the probable drawings on India and of the transactions in connection with the Government Sterling Debt and the borrowings of Railway Companies, represents the present intentions of the Secretary of State. But in view of the varying conditions of Indian finance and of the London money market, no assurance can be given that this programme will be adhered to either in amount or in form. The Secretary of State reserves to himself the right to vary the programme to any extent that may be considered necessary during the course of the year. The estimate of Council drawings is for the amount necessary to provide for the Secretary of State's requirements, but additional Bills will as usual be sold if needed to meet the demands of trade.

INDIA.

255. The following is a summary of the Estimates of Ways and Means in India during 1912-13 and 1913-14 :—

	BUDGET ESTIMATE, 1912-1913.		REVISED ESTIMATE, 1912-1913.		BUDGET ESTIMATE, 1913-1914.	
	Rupee figures.	Equivalent in £ at R15 = £1.	Rupee figures.	Equivalent in £ at R15 = £1.	Rupee figures.	Equivalent in £ at R15 = £1.
RECEIPTS.						
	R	£	R	£	R	£
1. Excess of Revenue over Expenditure charged to Revenue	81,16,51,000	20,776,700	84,24,74,000	22,681,000	81,35,85,000	20,905,700
2. Capital raised and deposited by Railway Companies	23,84,000	155,600	10,59,000	70,600	24,18,000	160,900
3. Unfunded Debt incurred, mostly Savings Bank deposits (net)	1,97,81,000	1,318,700	2,61,20,000	1,741,400	2,25,21,000	1,501,400
4. Appropriation for Reduction or Avoidance of Debt	54,98,000	366,500	52,18,000	347,900	68,01,000	453,400
5. Other Deposits and Remittances (net)	4,14,000	27,600	1,10,66,000	737,700	13,60,000	90,700
6. Remittance account between England and India—						
(a) Silver remitted from England	...	...	10,89,00,000	7,060,000	...	...
(b) Transactions of Railway Companies (net) excluding debenture capital	4,92,41,000	3,282,700	5,28,85,000	3,525,700	6,61,51,000	4,410,100
TOTAL RECEIPTS INCLUDING LOANS	38,89,19,000	25,927,800	54,47,22,000	36,814,900	41,28,31,000	27,522,200
DISBURSEMENTS.						
7. Capital Expenditure not charged to Revenue—						
(a) State Railways and Irrigation Works	10,46,02,000	6,973,400	11,77,27,000	7,848,500	13,47,30,000	8,982,000
(b) Initial expenditure on new Capital at Delhi	2,00,00,000	1,333,300	15,73,000	104,900	1,99,25,000	1,328,300
(c) Outlay by Companies (net)	51,24,000	341,600	25,75,000	171,700	34,10,000	227,400
8. Permanent Debt discharged (net)	18,69,000	91,800	12,81,000	85,400	13,09,000	87,900
9. Provincial surpluses (—) or deficits (+)	2,33,66,000	1,557,700	—6,11,09,000	—4,073,900	4,36,89,000	2,912,600
10. Imperial and Provincial Loans (net)	59,79,000	398,500	36,000	2,400	15,86,000	105,700
11. Remittance account between England and India—						
(a) Remittance of gold to England	...	...	49,18,000	327,900	67,50,000	4,50,000
(b) Other transactions (net)	60,48,000	403,200	106,37,000	709,100	1,16,41,000	776,100
12. Council Bills †	23,65,35,000	15,769,000	28,81,20,000	25,874,700	32,47,50,000	21,650,000
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	40,30,28,000	26,868,000	46,57,58,000	31,050,700	54,77,90,000	36,519,400
NET DISBURSEMENTS	1,41,04,000	940,200	—7,89,64,000	—5,264,200	13,49,59,000	8,997,200
FINANCED AS FOLLOWS:						
Permanent Debt incurred	8,00,00,000	2,000,000	8,00,00,000	2,000,000	8,00,00,000	2,000,000
Reduction of (+) or addition to (—) Treasury Balances	—1,58,96,000	—1,059,800	—10,89,64,000	—7,264,200	10,49,59,000	6,997,200
TOTAL	1,41,04,000	940,200	—7,89,64,000	—5,264,200	13,49,59,000	8,997,200
Opening Balance	17,71,24,000	11,808,200	18,41,95,000	12,279,700	29,31,59,000	19,543,900
Closing Balance	19,30,20,000	12,868,000	29,31,59,000	19,543,900	18,82,00,000	12,548,700

* Head 9 represents expenditure defrayed by reduction of Provincial balances.

† The figures shown under head 12 differ from those given in the Home Treasury Ways and Means statement, as Bills drawn by the Secretary of State towards the end of one year are paid in India in the next. The figures of the present statement represent payments in India.

256. In the Budget estimate of 1912-13, the cash balance in Indian 1912-13.

Treasuries on the 1st April 1912, was taken at R17,71 lakhs. It was estimated (1) that the net Imperial revenue in India would amount to R81,17 lakhs (2) that the net deposits in Savings Banks and Provident Institutions would increase during the year by R1,98 lakhs, (3) that a sum of R55 lakhs would be available from the Famine Insurance grant for the avoidance of debt, and (4) that the remittance transactions of Railway Companies would result in a net credit in India of R4,92 lakhs. On the other hand, provision was made: (1) for a net expenditure of R2,34 lakhs from Provincial balances, (2) for capital expenditure

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in India on railways (inclusive of outlay by companies) and canals to the extent of R10,97 lakhs, (3) for an outlay of R2,00 lakhs on the construction of the new Capital at Delhi, (4) for the discharge of R14 lakhs of the permanent debt, (5) for net payments of R60 lakhs and R33 lakhs, respectively, in connection with Imperial and Provincial loans and miscellaneous deposit transactions, and (6) for the payment of Council Bills to the extent of R23,65 lakhs. The total payments mentioned above aggregate R40,03 lakhs against a total receipt of R38,62 lakhs; and as the net disbursement of R1,41 lakhs would have reduced the cash balances at the end of the year to the inconveniently low figure of R16,30 lakhs, it was proposed to raise a loan of R3 crores to meet the deficit and to form a reserve for future capital expenditure on Imperial Delhi.

1912-13.

Main features of
Revised Estimates.

257. The results according to the Revised estimates show considerable variations from this forecast. The year opened with a balance which was R71 lakhs higher than the Budget forecast mainly owing to a larger betterment in the revenue account in 1911-12 (*vide* paragraph 6), which was partly counterbalanced by a reduction in the net credits in connection with miscellaneous deposit and remittance transactions; and the full amount of the contemplated rupee loan of R3 crores was raised in July. The large increase in the opening balance, the very considerable improvement which has taken place in the revenue returns of the current year, as well as in Savings Banks deposits; and the heavy lapse in the grant for Imperial Delhi will, however, enable the Government of India to incur higher outlay on railway construction, to remit to the Secretary of State in aid of the Home Treasury £3 millions more than was provided in the Budget, and still to close the year with a balance of R29,32 lakhs. Taking India as a whole, there will be a very considerable improvement of R11,53 lakhs over the Budget in the combined revenue account of the Imperial and Provincial Governments in the current year. Two-thirds of this increase occurs in the yield of the wholly Imperial heads—Opium and Railways; but as a result of the large assignments from Imperial to Provincial described in paragraphs 20 to 24, R3,08 lakhs of the gain will appear in the Imperial section of the accounts and R8,45 lakhs as an addition to the Provincial balances. Silver of the value of R10,59 lakhs has been received from the Secretary of State for the coinage of new rupees. As the purchase in England was made from the balances of the Home Treasury, an equivalent sum was paid by the Currency Department to the Treasury in India on the transfer of the silver to the former for conversion into rupees. The increase in the net deposits in Savings Banks will be R63½ lakhs more than was allowed for; while increases of R36½ lakhs and R47½ lakhs respectively are also expected in the net credits from remittances of railway companies and miscellaneous deposit and remittance transactions. Further, there is a large saving of R1,84 lakhs in the capital grant for Imperial Delhi, and the net payments on account of *takavi* and other loans are expected to fall short of the Budget provision by R59½ lakhs. The total improvements from all these sources, including the increase in the opening balance of the year amounts to R26,74 lakhs. But this will be partly counterbalanced by (1) a reduction of R3 lakhs in the amount available from the Famine Insurance grant for the avoidance of debt; (2) larger capital expenditure to the extent of R1,05 lakhs on railways (inclusive of outlay by Companies) and on canals arising mainly from the expansion of the Railway programme; (3) a remittance of R49 lakhs in gold to England; and (4) an increase of R15,16 lakhs in the payment of Council bills, of which R10,59 lakhs are intended to meet the expenditure incurred by the Secretary of State out of the balances of the Home Treasury on the purchase of silver. The closing balance on 31st March 1913 will thus be R10,01 lakhs more than the Budget estimate of R19,30 lakhs.

1912-13.

Rupee loan.

258. It was announced last year, subject to the usual reservations, that a new 3½ per cent. rupee loan of R3 crores would be raised in 1912-13. Tenders for this loan were opened on the 19th July, and the result was as follows:—

Total amount tendered.	Amount accepted.	Average rate of accepted tenders.	Minimum rate accepted.
₹	₹	₹ a. p.	₹ a. p.
9,29,13,500	3,00,00,000	96 2 0·07	96 2 0

259. In 1913-14 the net Imperial revenue in India is estimated at, R31 36 lakhs ; Savings Banks and similar deposits are expected to yie'd a net receipt of R2 25 lakhs ; a sum of R68 lakhs will be available from the Famine Insurance grant for the avoidance of debt ; and the remittance and capital transactions of Railway Companies are likely to result in a net credit in India of R6,61 lakhs. On the other hand, provision has been made : (1) for an expenditure of R4 37 lakhs from Provincial balances, (2) for payments of R13 lakhs, R16 lakhs and R113 lakhs respectively in connection with the discharge of permanent debt, Imperial and Provincial loans, and miscellaneous deposit and remittance transactions ; (3) for capital expenditure of R13,47 lakhs in India on railways and canals and of R1,99 lakhs on Imperial Delhi ; (4) for a remittance of R67½ lakhs in gold coins to England ; and (5) for payment of Council Bills to the extent of R32,47½ lakhs. The total amount of funds required by the Government of India next year therefore aggregates R54,40 lakhs, while the receipts at its disposal amount to only R40.90 lakhs.

1913-14.
Main features of
Budget Estimates.

260. Of the net disbursement of about R13½ crores it will be possible to meet about R10½ crores from the heavy cash balance which will be held in India at the end of the current year ; and to provide for the shortage it is proposed to raise a new rupee loan of R3 crores in 1913-14. With a loan of this amount it will be possible to close the year, according to the present estimate, with a balance of about R18.82 lakhs. The announcement now made regarding the rupee loan is in accordance with present intentions ; but full liberty is reserved, as usual, to vary the programme now announced to any extent that may be considered desirable.

1913-14.
New Rupee loan.

261. The following table gives details of the transactions of Savings Banks and Provident Funds during a series of years, and the estimated transactions for 1912-13 and 1913-14.

Post Office Savings Banks, etc.

YEAR.	Net additions to deposits, cash.	Interest.	Total addition.
	R	R	R
1902-03	52,40,000	39,00,000	91,40,000
1903-04	66,99,000	42,15,000	1,09,14,000
1904-05	78,94,000	45,87,000	1,24,81,000
1905-06	31,49,000	46,80,000	78,29,000
1906-07	50,91,000	52,25,000	1,03,16,000
1907-08	14,86,000	53,50,000	68,36,000
1908-09	—26,22,000	51,63,000	25,41,000
1909-10	51,82,000	57,20,000	1,09,02,000
1910-11	1,05,06,000	61,82,000	1,66,88,000
1911-12	1,95,69,000	67,79,000	2,63,48,000
1912-13 (Revised)	1,75,57,000	75,97,000	2,51,54,000
1913-14 (Budget)	1,31,09,000	83,27,000	2,14,36,000

262. The growth in the net deposits in the Post Office Savings Banks in 1912-13 has again been phenomenally large, owing to the generally prosperous conditions of the year and also to the enhanced maximum limit now admissible for cash deposits ; and the Revised estimate for the year is taken at R127 lakhs, exclusive of interest, against a Budget of 60 lakhs. For next year, the estimate of deposits in these banks is taken at a moderate figure of R80 lakhs, while the deposits in the various Provident Funds for Government servants are expected to grow by R51 lakhs.

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20th March 1913.

Appendix.**PRO FORMA ACCOUNT OF COST OF CHANGE OF IMPERIAL CAPITAL.**

(Referred to in paragraph 8 of the memorandum.)

I.—Non-recurring.

Expenditure.	Receipts.
(1) Delhi project	(a) Value or recoveries on account of Imperial buildings vacated by the Government of India or attached offices in consequence of the move.
(2) Cantonment	(b) Non-recurring receipts on account of Temporary Works.
(3) Temporary Delhi	(c) Any sums adjusted in favour of Imperial revenues from Punjab provincial funds in connection with the move.
(4) Special Departmental expenditure . .	(d) Recoveries on account of buildings vacated (if any) in the old cantonments of Delhi on completion of the new cantonment.
(5) Non-recurring assignments to Punjab revenues (if any), made by way of compensation for increased expenditure thrown on them by removal from Delhi.	
(6) Cost of moving Imperial offices from Calcutta or elsewhere to Delhi.	
(7) Special non-recurring monetary concessions to establishments of the Government of India and attached offices, such as lump allowances, etc.	

II.—Recurring.

Expenditure.	Receipts.
(1) *Cost of Delhi Administration . . .	(a) *Revenues of Delhi province.
(2) Recurring assignments (if any) to Punjab provincial revenues.	(b) Any recurring assignments from Punjab provincial revenues to Imperial resulting from the move.
(3) Increase (if any) in maintenance of Viceregal buildings, as compared with cost prior to the move.	(c) Savings in Viceregal buildings maintenance (if any).
	(d) Savings under Calcutta House allowances, hill journey allowances, and travelling allowances.
	(e) Savings in contingencies on account of moving Secretariat and attached offices to and from Delhi as compared with move between Simla and Calcutta.

* These heads will be subdivided into the appropriate service heads, giving an abstract of the Delhi Province expenditure and revenue respectively.

APPENDIX.

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COMMERCIAL AND
TABLE I.—MIS

	1904-05.	1905-06.	1906-07.
Recorded Revenue compared with recorded expenditure excluding Capital Expenditure on Railways and Irrigation works not charged against Revenue—			
Surplus	₹ 3,476,036	₹ 2,091,854	₹ 1,589,840
Deficit	...	...	...
Capital Expenditure on Railways and Irrigation Works not charged against Revenue*	₹ 6,278,195	₹ 9,936,378	₹ 8,712,668
Ditto charge involved in Redemption of Liabilities	...	₹ 12,980,960	...
Initial Expenditure on new Capital at Delhi	...	...	...
Net Public Debt incurred	₹ 3,423,480	₹ 16,732,546	₹ 4,166,102
Net Public Debt incurred, including Capital transactions with Guaranteed Railways and other Companies	₹ 4,488,100	₹ 18,567,395	₹ 2,144,709
Value of commodities exported, excluding Gold and Silver	R 1,57,72,20,000	1,61,83,00,000	1,77,08,00,000
Ditto imported, ditto ditto	R 1,04,44,30,000	1,21,14,00,000	1,17,24,20,000
Excess of Exports over Imports, excluding Gold and Silver	R 53,30,00,000	40,72,00,000	59,78,80,000
Net Imports of Gold	R 9,70,00,000	47,60,000	14,87,60,000
Ditto of Silver	R 13,23,00,000	17,72,30,000	24,00,00,000
TOTAL NET IMPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER	R 22,93,70,000	16,18,10,000	38,88,20,000
Excess of Exports over Imports including Gold and Silver	R 30,34,20,000	33,51,00,000	20,22,00,000
Grand Total value of Imports and Exports of all kinds	R 3,18,18,40,000	3,20,07,00,000	3,44,70,00,000
Secretary of State's Bills sold (Rupees)	R 83,33,73.4	\$1,213.20 (a)	40,099,985
Sterling Equivalent received	₹ 21,42,578	\$3,000,73 (a)	32,07,196
Silver coined at the Indian Mints	R 11,37,01,366	20,00,144.2	25,08,7,405
Maximum price in pence of an oz. troy, standard Silver in London	23½ (Dec.)	30½ (Feb.)	38½ (Nov.)
Minimum ditto ditto	21½ (Apr.)	27½ (Apr.)	29½ (Apr. & June)
Average Exchange upon Secretary of State's Bills sold for rupees	1s. 40½ d.	1s. 40½ d.	1s. 40½ d.
Fixed rate of Exchange for the Adjustment of Transactions between the Indian and Imperial Treasuries	1s. 40½ d.	1s. 40½ d.	1s. 40½ d.
Maximum rate of discount on Loans on demand at the Bank of Bengal Calcutta	8 (from Mar. 9 to 22).	9 (from Feb. 1 to Mar. 14).	9 (from Dec. 6 to Mar. 31).
Minimum rate of discount on Loans on demand at the Bank of Bengal Calcutta	3 (June 23 to Oct. 5).	3 (July 20 to Aug. 10).	3 (from July 19 to Aug. 8).
Maximum rate of discount at the Bank of England	4 (Apr. 5 to 13)	4 (Sept. 28 to Mar.)	6 (Oct. 19 to Jan. 16).
Minimum ditto ditto	2½ (from Mar. 9).	2½ (Apr. 1 to Sept. 7).	3½ (Apr. 5 to May 2, June 21 to Sept. 12).
Maximum Government balances at the three Presidency Banks	R 3,81,32,000 (Sept.)	3,82,91,000 (May)	3,68,28,000 (Aug.)
Minimum ditto ditto	R 3,00,30,000 (Jan.)	2,84,03,000 (Nov.)	2,95,11,000 (Oct.)
Maximum price in Calcutta of Government 3½ per cent Rupee Securities (Guaranteed)	99—9 (Aug. 16, Mar. 2 & 3).	100—4 (Aug. 4).	99—11 (Apr. 1 & 2).
Minimum ditto ditto	96—11 (Nov. 11)	97—8 (Jan. 9 & 10).	94—13 (Dec. 17 & 18).
Maximum price in Calcutta of 3 per cent Rupee Securities	87—4 (from Mar. 3).	83—12 (Aug. 10 to 16).	87—2 (Apr. 1 to 19 & Apr. 24 to May 14).
Minimum ditto ditto	85—4 (Apr. 5 to May 3).	87—0 (Dec. 21 and Mar. 19 to 22).	82—8 (Feb. 20 to 26 & Mar. 28).
Maximum amount outstanding on London Register of Rupee Securities encased for Interest Drafts	R 17,02,89,000 (Apr.)	17,01,03,000 (May)	16,52,17,000 (Dec.)
Minimum ditto ditto	R 16,50,97,000 (Feb.)	16,21,08,000 (Dec.)	16,30,83,000 (July)
Maximum price in London of 3½ per cent (Rupee Securities in Gold)	66½ (Feb. & Mar.)	66½ (Aug.)	66½ (Apr.)
Minimum ditto ditto	65 (July)	65½ (June)	64½ (Dec.)
Maximum price in London of India 3½ per cent Stock	109 (Feb.)	107½ (Apr.)	105 (Apr.)
Minimum ditto ditto	103 (Apr.)	103½ (Oct.)	99½ (Mar.)
Maximum price in London of India 3 per cent Stock	99½ (Feb.)	98½ (Apr.)	97½ (Apr.)
Minimum ditto ditto	93½ (Aug.)	94½ (Oct.)	88½ (Mar.)
Maximum price in London of India 2½ per cent Stock	87½ (Feb.)	84½ (Apr.)	82 (Apr.)
Minimum ditto ditto	79½ (Apr.)	79½ (Oct.)	75 (Mar.)
Maximum Government Paper Currency outstanding	R 42,51,64,000 (July)	44,65,66,000 (Mar.)	47,30,20,000 (July)
Minimum ditto ditto	R 36,11,03,000 (Apr.)	39,68,12,000 (Nov.)	42,39,24,000 (Mar.)
Number of Post Office Savings Banks	7,855	8,071	8,049
Number of accounts in Post Office Savings Banks	1,058,813	1,115,728	1,160,220
Amount deposited in Savings Banks	13,40,70,130	13,69,25,260	14,76,69,789
Average of each deposit	13.562	13.588	13.599
Net addition to deposits	1,07,33,414	58,56,130	77,48,520

*Excludes capital charge involved in redemption of liabilities.

§ Includes remittances of the Gold Standard Reserve.

DIX

FINANCIAL STATISTICS.

CELLANEOUS.

1907-1908.	1908-1909.	1909-1910.	1910-1911.	1911-1912.	1912-1913. Revised.	1913-1914. Budget.
£ 300,615	£ 3,737,710	£ 606,641	£ 3,933,287	£ 3,940,334	£ 3,393,700	£ 1,326,300
...
£ 11,42,767	£ 10,471,657	£ 7,373,966	£ 10,119,093	£ 8,517,915	£ 10,383,800	£ 11,580,100
£ 2,144,800	...	...	£ 5,904,100	£ 4,992	£ 111,900	£ 1,333,300
£ 10,725,963	£ 5,633,956	£ 10,408,317	£ 8,893,956	£ 1,823,173	£ 2,937,000	£ 131,500
£ 13,311,920	£ 10,370,193	£ 10,747,575	£ 12,654,483	£ 854,140	£ 2,377,600	£ 1,244,100
1,77,48,00,000	1,73,14,30,000	1,87,96,80,000	2,01,96,20,000	2,27,98,80,000	2,25,07,70,000 (b)	
1,36,64,80,000	1,23,78,70,000	1,22,55,10,000	1,33,71,60,000	1,41,95,50,000	1,52,13,00,000 (b)	
40,83,70,000	21,31,60,000	67,31,70,000	76,25,60,000	83,93,30,000	72,94,70,000 (b)	
17,36,80,000	4,31,00,000	21,07,00,000	23,97,90,000	37,73,00,000	31,98,70,000 (b)	
19,48,81,000	12,96,81,000	9,44,50,000	8,03,00,000	5,33,70,000	16,18,60,000 (b)	
86,88,60,000	13,42,10,000	31,12,10,000	32,60,90,000	43,09,70,000	48,17,10,000 (b)	
4,00,10,000	7,93,20,000	34,19,30,000	43,64,70,000	41,83,60,000	24,77,60,000 (b)	
3,61,86,61,000	3,10,99,40,000	3,54,54,20,000	3,90,30,00,000	4,35,88,81,000	4,44,55,10,000 (b)	
\$24,30,65,151	\$20,91,37,188	\$10,54,12,613 (a)	40,02,50,111 (a)	40,17,07,48 (a)	38,34,80,000	32,47,50,000
\$ 6,232,961	\$ 3,915,426	\$27,06,586 (a)	\$20,783,303 (a)	27,058,149 (a)	27,600,000	21,000,000
18,11,06,540	2,85,31,914	2,17,56,166	2,19,25,112	2,81,74,320	19,19,00,000	
32½ (Aug.) 24 Dec. 1s. 40d.	2½ (Apr.) 22 Dec. 1s. 30d.	2½ (May) 23 Oct. 1s. 40d.	2½ (October) 23½ (February) 1s. 40d.	2½ (February) 23½ (July) 1s. 40d.	20½ (December) 26½ (March) 1s. 40d.	1s. 4d.
1s. 4d.	1s. 4d.	1s. 4d.	1s. 4d.	1s. 4d.	1s. 4d.	1s. 4d.
9 (from Apr. 1 to 17 and Jan. 16 to Mar. 4.) 3 (from July 25 to Sept. 11).	8 (from Jan. 28 to March 17). 3 (from July 16 to Sept. 2).	7 (from 1 to 23 Apr. & 3 to 31 March). 3 (from 1 July to 2 Sept.)	8 (from 22nd Feb. 1911 to 29th Mar. 1911) 3 (from 1st July to 21st Sept.)	8 (from 26th Jan. to 6th Mar.) 3 (from 3rd Aug. to 31st Aug. 1911.) 4 (from 21st Sept. 1911 to 7th Feb. 1912.) 3 (from 1st Apr. to 20th Sept. 1911.)	8 (from 9th Jan. to 10th Feb. 1912.) 3 (from 11th July to 11th Sept. 1912.) 5 (from 17th Oct. 1912 to Mar. 1913.) 3 (from 9th May to 28th Aug. 1912.)	
7 (Nov. 7 to Dec. 31). 9½ (Mar.)	3 (Apr. 1 to May 27 and Jan. 14 to Mar.) 2½ (May 27 to Jan. 13).	5 (October 21st to Dec. 8th) 2½ (Apr. 1st to October 6th).	5 (Oct. 20th to Nov. 30th). 3 (June 9th to Sept. 28th and Mar. 9th to Mar. 31st).			
4,10,83,000 (Mar.) 2,86,56,000 (Apr.)	4,19,82,000 (July) 3,04,17,000 (Jan.)	4,58,77,000 (July). 3,07,61,000 (Apr.)	4,10,03,000 (Sept.) 3,53,92,000 (June)	4,48,68,000 (Nov.) 3,87,40,000 (Feb.)	5,45,68,000 (July) 4,00,35,000 (Apr.)	
98—6 (May 4 to 7)	93—15 (Apr. 7)	95—5 (24 Aug.)	96—10 (2nd Aug.)	93—14 (9th Dec.)	97—2 (3rd to 6th May.)	
95—8 (Jan. 14 and 15).	93—2 (Mar. 16)	2—12 (4 to 7 Dec.)	93—6 (7th Nov.)	94—12 (3rd & 4th Oct.)	94—12 (3rd & 6th Jan.)	
92—8 (Apr. 1 to May 14).	81—0 (July 18 to Mar. 31).	82—0, 31 Aug. to 11 Nov.)	82—0 (12th July to 19th Aug. and 15th Feb. to 31st Mar.)	82—0 (1st to 23rd Sept., 24th Sept., 27th Sept., to 9th Oct., 20th Nov. to 31st Mar.)	83—0 (7th to 14th Oct.)	
79—0 (Feb. 5 to Mar. 31).	79—0 (Apr. 1 to May 3).	79—12 (27 Nov.)	80—4 (5th Dec.)	81—0 (25th & 26th Sept.)	82—0 (1st to 24th Apr. & 24th Oct. to March.)	
16,44,30,000 (Apr.) 15,23,22,000 (Mar.) 63½ (Apr. & May) 62½ (Nov.) 103 (Feb.) 96½ (Aug.) 43 (Feb.) 84½ (Sept.) 70½ (Feb.) 70½ (Aug.)	15,29,89,000 (Apr.) 14,43,86,000 (Mar.) 68½ (Apr.) 61½ (Mar.) 102½ (June) 95½ (Mar.) 92½ (Apr.) 84½ (Mar.) 78½ (Apr.) 70 (Jan.)	16,03,73,000 (Oct.) 14,81,15,000 (Apr.) 68½ (Oct.) 61½ (Apr.) 100½ (Mar.) 95 (March) 90½ (Apr.) 81½ (March) 76 (Apr.) 69 (March)	15,07,81,000 (Apr.) 12,78,50,000 (Mar.) 64½ (Feb.) 62½ (Oct.) 97½ (Feb.) 92½ (Sept.) 84½ (Feb.) 79½ (Sept.) 70½ (Feb.) 66 (Sept.)	12,68,10,000 (Apr.) 11,73,04,000 (Mar.) 64½ (Dec.) 63½ (Oct.) 96½ (Apr.) 91 (Sept.) 84½ (Apr.) 78½ (Sept.) 70½ (Apr.) 67½ (Sept.)	11,65,47,000 (Apr.) 11,15,13,000 (July) 64½ (May) 63½ (Feb. & Mar.) 94½ (Apr.) 89½ (Oct.) 80½ (Apr.) 76½ (Oct.) 6½ (Apr.) 69½ (Oct.)	
2,74,31,000 (Sept.) 41,81,65,000 (Jan.) 8,323 1,262,763 15,18,14,343 12022 41,44,554	43,09,37,000 (Jan.) 42,07,01,000 (Dec.) 8,504 1,318,32 15,23,41,514 11503 5,27,171	1,11,81,000 (Mar.) 43,14,99,000 (Apr.) 8,767 1,378,916 15,83,71,733 11507 68,30,272	50,16,45,000 (July) 49,07,01,000 (Dec.) 8,121 1,430,451 16,91,88,224 11828 1,06,16,438	31,36,25,000 (Mar.) 54,68,58,000 (Apr.) 9,502 1,500,884 18,83,85,439 12592 1,97,91,215	68,32,70,000 (Sept.) 58,33,57,000 (Apr.)	

(a) Include remittance of the Currency Department.

(b) Figures for 11 months (April to February).

Appendix—continued.

Commercial and Financial Statistics.

Table II.—Capital Expenditure on State Railways in 1911-1912, and Estimated Expenditure on such works in 1912-1913 and 1913-1914, and to end of 1913-1914.

RAILWAYS.	To end of 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	Revised Estimate, 1912-1913.	Budget Estimate, 1913-1914.	To end of 1913-1914.	Sanctioned outlay.	Balance remaining unspent.	Revenue.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Open Lines.								
Agra-Delhi Chord	1,35,57,370	7,68,866	1,83,000	1,60,000	1,46,69,236	1,46,69,236	...	
Ahmedabad-Dholka (earthwork, etc.)	59,900	...	...	...	59,900	59,900	...	
Akbarpur-Tanda	40,305	2,85,570	1,33,000	...	4,58,875	4,58,875	...	
Allahabad-Rae-Bareilly-Cawnpore	65,69,906	33,90,011	21,18,000	...	1,20,77,917	1,20,77,917	...	
Assam-Bengal (Construction)	8,67,71,239	26,78,044	26,70,000	63,01,000	9,84,20,283	9,84,20,283	...	
Ditto (Land)	42,87,534	2,00,443	3,25,000	4,65,000	52,77,977	52,77,977	...	
Baran-Kotah	45,65,880	39,917	51,000	...	46,47,797	46,47,797	...	
Beawada Extension	12,18,789	2,052	12,000	2,000	12,34,841	12,34,841	...	
Bhopal	37,65,384	97,713	1,09,000	22,000	39,94,097	39,94,097	...	
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	44,72,49,518	53,66,342	1,13,34,000	2,00,29,000	48,39,78,860	48,39,78,860	...	
Burma	9,74,12,324	...	...	...	9,74,12,324	9,74,12,324	...	
Burma, Railway Extensions	2,14,66,981	1,40,664	4,50,000	1,00,000	2,21,57,645	2,21,57,645	...	
Coonoor-Ootacamund	36,38,320	1,33,618	98,000	3,68,000	42,32,938	42,32,938	...	
Dhakra-Sambhal	35,816	5,34,263	1,10,000	...	6,80,079	6,80,079	...	
Dhone-Kurnool	9,55,395	129,820	28,000	5,000	10,18,215	10,18,215	...	
East Indian	45,81,42,236	1,09,37,924	1,41,40,000	1,70,28,000	50,02,48,160	50,02,48,160	...	
Eastern Bengal	24,09,53,749	98,50,163	1,23,55,000	1,31,88,000	27,58,46,912	27,58,46,912	...	
East Coast—Northern Section	3,09,29,430	...	...	...	3,09,29,430	3,09,29,430	...	
Frontier Railway Reserve Material	43,90,320	3,115	—2,000	...	43,91,435	43,91,435	...	
Gajraula-Chandpur	5,91,250	1,19,910	16,000	...	7,27,160	7,27,160	...	

RAILWAYS.	To end of 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	Revised Estimate, 1912-1913.	Budget Estimate, 1913-1914.	To end of 1912-1914.	Sanctioned outlay.	Balance remaining unspent.	REMARKS.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Brought forward	1,42,66,01,646	3,40,69,435	4,41,30,000	5,76,63,000	1,56,24,64,081	1,56,24,64,081	...	
Open Lines.								
Great Indian Peninsula System	31,96,90,499	1,23,75,384	2,16,28,000	3,01,91,000	38,38,84,833	38,38,84,833	...	
Jodhpur-Hyderabad (British Section)	42,42,544	—19,115	89,000	1,25,000	44,37,429	44,37,429	...	
Jorhat	9,67,126	12,535	61,000	32,000	10,72,661	10,72,661	...	
Lucknow-Bareilly	51,21,139	...	...	...	51,21,139	51,21,139	...	
Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway (Madras Section)	15,30,02,943	—76,293	...	...	15,29,27,650	15,29,27,650	...	
North-Western	68,98,39,033	2,21,46,156	2,37,98,000	2,22,18,000	75,75,01,189	75,75,01,189	...	
Oudh and Rohilkhand	24,64,44,222	27,90,334	30,30,000	72,47,000	25,95,11,556	25,95,11,556	...	
Petroleum Operations, Baluchistan	1,19,187	...	...	...	1,19,187	1,19,187	...	
Rohilkund and Kumaon Railway (Kachha- gust bridge)	76,416	...	...	...	76,416	76,416	...	
Smastipur-Roorah	90,807	5,62,733	1,00,000	99,000	8,52,540	8,52,540	...	
Shorkot Road Chichoki	73,98,582	5,12,027	1,57,000	...	80,67,609	80,67,609	...	
South Indian	14,16,49,777	33,16,200	74,99,000	1,09,90,000	16,34,54,977	16,34,54,977	...	
Tinnevely Quilon (British Section)	44,97,069	962	—7,000	5,000	44,26,031	44,26,031	...	
Ditto (Native State Section)	1,18,46,843	—22,743	—6,000	2,000	1,18,20,100	1,18,20,100	...	
Tirhoot and Extensions	7,48,85,735	6,57,528	16,60,000	14,87,000	7,86,90,263	7,86,90,263	...	
Chemical Laboratory, Kalimati	...	19,486	75,000	...	94,486	94,486	...	
" " Alipur	...	...	51,000	...	51,000	51,000	...	
Warora Colliery	11,10,032	...	...	...	11,10,032	11,10,032	...	
TOTAL OPEN LINES	3,08,70,13,500	7,63,45,579	10,22,65,000	13,00,59,000	3,39,56,83,179	3,39,56,83,179	...	

Appendix—continued.

RAILWAYS.	To end of 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	Revised Esti- mate, 1912-1913.	Budget Esti- mate, 1913-1914.	To end of 1913-1914.	Sanctioned Outlay.	Balance remaining unspent.	REMARKS.
TOTAL OPEN LINES brought forward	Rs. 3,08,70,13,600	Rs. 7,63,45,579	Rs. 10,22,65,000	Rs. 13,00,59,000	Rs. 3,39,56,83,179	Rs. 3,39,56,83,179	Rs. ...	
LINES UNDER CONSTRUCTION.								
Dharmapuri-Hosur Extension	7,46,868	6,61,132	6,58,000	1,20,000	21,08,000	23,29,556	1,31,856	
Itarsi-Nagpur and branch to Pench Valley Coalfields	79,13,103	42,23,782	48,00,000	25,37,000	1,95,73,885	3,35,88,222	1,40,14,937	
Lower Ganges Bridge Project	1,06,77,683	89,58,932	88,45,000	88,00,000	3,72,81,015	4,76,68,863	1,03,87,848	
Rajabhatkhawa-Dalsingpara	...	3,07,571	3,25,000	51,000	6,83,571	7,58,119	74,548	
Roserah-Shakarpur-Khagari	...	5,16,756	6,98,000	7,04,000	19,18,756	25,04,582	5,85,626	
Rangiya-Tangla	5,83,565	3,11,861	3,50,000	60,000	12,55,426	12,11,096	44,330	
Broach-Jambusar	410	2,90,672	4,25,000	4,00,000	11,16,082	13,97,858	2,81,776	
Bayana-Agra	(a) 70,201	17,73,093	17,00,000	51,000	35,94,294	45,93,777	9,99,483	
Cawnpur-Banda with branch from Sum- pur to Belatal	(b) 77,608	19,48,642	28,00,000	18,00,000	66,26,250	1,35,09,920	68,83,670	
Jakhul-Hisar	94,795	17,56,239	7,25,000	2,94,000	28,70,034	29,03,057	33,023	(a) Includes Rs. 30,227 on account of survey and brought on to the con- struction account during 1912-13.
Sarai Kala-Havelian	1,30,206	13,19,121	26,50,000	3,50,000	44,49,327	41,00,000	3,49,327	(b) Ditto Rs. 2-3-8 Ditto Rs. 12-12-0 Ditto
Singhiani-Fulehari	86,213	4,74,914	8,00,000	6,71,000	20,42,127	15,50,325	4,91,802	
Jullundur-Hoshiarpur	(c) 26,651	7,63,887	10,00,000	1,90,000	19,80,538	19,65,143	15,395	
Laki-L'ezu Tank	...	...	8,75,000	...	8,75,000	25,28,432	21,53,432	
Carried over	2,03,66,703	2,31,09,602	2,61,51,000	1,60,37,000	8,59,64,305	12,06,09,650	3,46,45,345	
TOTAL OPEN LINES, carried over	3,08,70,13,600	7,63,45,579	10,22,65,000	13,00,59,000	3,39,56,83,179	3,39,56,83,179	...	

RAILWAYS.	To end of 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	Revised Esti- mate, 1912-1913.	Budget Esti- mate, 1913-1914.	To end of 1913-1914.	Sanctioned Outlay.	Balance remaining unexpent.	REMARKS:
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
TOTAL OPEN LINES, brought forward . . .	3,08,70,13,600	7,62,45,579	10,22,65,000	13,00,59,000	3,39,56,83,179	3,39,56,83,179	...	
Brought forward . . .	2,03,66,703	2,34,09,602	2,61,51,000	1,60,37,000	8,59,64,305	12,06,09,650	3,46,45,345	
Second section of the Bokharo-Ramgarh . . .	...	...	6,50,000	4,52,000	11,02,000	13,98,470	2,96,470	
B. N. & E. I. Railways joint Line . . .	31,56,533	27,64,073	39,67,000	35,61,000	1,31,48,636	1,98,48,996	63,95,360	
Southern Shan States . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trans-Indus (Kalabagh Bannu with ferry) . . .	16,52,942	21,40,446	12,50,000	3,43,000	53,86,388	56,20,339	2,33,951	
TOTAL LINES UNDER CONSTRUCTION . . .	2,51,76,208	2,88,14,121	3,20,18,000	2,03,93,000	10,59,01,329	14,74,72,455	4,15,71,126	
LINES IN ABEYANCE OR TRANSFERRED TO COMPANIES, ETC.								
Bellary-Kistna . . .	1,65,78,416	...	...	...	1,65,78,416	1,65,78,416	...	
Bilaspur-Etawah . . .	75,132	...	...	...	75,132	75,132	...	
Ludhiana-Ferozepur . . .	28,311	...	...	...	28,311	28,311	...	
Nagpur-Chhattisgarh Depreciation Account . . .	6,57,038	...	...	...	6,57,038	6,57,038	...	
Ranaghat-Bhagwangola . . .	3,02,450	...	...	...	3,02,450	3,02,450	...	
Southern Mahratta (Depreciation on works, etc.) . . .	5,27,071	...	...	...	5,27,071	5,27,071	...	
Umaria Colliery . . .	1,82,672	...	...	...	1,82,672	1,82,672	...	
Vizagapatam-Raipur . . .	2,45,035	...	...	...	2,45,035	2,45,035	...	
TOTAL LINES IN ABEYANCE, ETC. . .	1,85,96,125	...	...	...	1,85,96,125	1,85,96,125	...	
Stores . . .	4,94,385	7,37,726	1,66,000	...	13,98,111	13,98,111	...	
Payments to Bengal Nagpur Railway Company for Capital Stock respecting which the holders exercised the option of transfer to the Secretary of State for India . . .	...	...	...	71,000	71,000	71,000	...	
Dholpur Durbar Loan . . .	...	...	4,00,000	...	4,00,000	4,00,000	...	
Reserves . . .	...	...	...	13,40,000	13,40,000	13,40,000	...	
GRAND TOTAL, carried over . . .	3,13,12,80,318	10,53,97,426	13,48,49,000	15,18,68,000	3,52,33,89,744	3,56,49,60,870	4,15,71,126	

APPENDIX—concluded.

RAILWAYS.	To end of 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-1912.	Revised Esti- mate, 1912-1913.	Budget Esti- mate, 1913-1914.	To end of 1913-1914.	Sanctioned Outlay.	Balance remaining unspent.	REMARKS.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Grand Total, brought forward	3,13,12,80,318	10,53,97,426	13,48,49,000	15,18,63,000	3,52,33,89,744	3,56,49,60,870	4,15,71,126	
Distributed as under—								
CAPITAL EXPENDITURE ON RAILWAYS (not charged to Revenue)								
State Railways — Construction*	2,06,88,64,423	10,47,20,759	13,41,30,000	15,17,02,000	2,45,94,17,182			
Redemption of Liabilities†	90,75,31,543	...	...	...	90,75,31,543			
Famine Relief and Insurance—								
Protective Railway	7,73,37,397	6,64,132	6,58,000	1,29,000	7,87,88,529			
CONSTRUCTION OF RAILWAYS (charged against Revenue in addition to that under Famine Insurance).	5,45,35,712	...	...	...	5,45,35,712			
CONSTRUCTION OF RAILWAYS (charged to Provincial Revenues).	73,66,372	12,535	61,000	32,000	74,71,907			
OTHER EXPENDITURE charged against Revenue.	1,56,44,871	...	...	...	1,56,44,871			
Total as above	3,13,12,80,318	10,53,97,426	13,48,49,000	15,18,63,000	3,52,33,89,744	3,56,49,60,870	4,15,71,126	
* INCLUDES DEBENTURES RAISED BY COMPANIES—								
Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway	1,43,90,464	...	...	...	1,43,90,464			
East Indian Railway	21,88,09,015	...	...	...	21,88,09,015			
Great Indian Peninsula Railway	4,87,97,864	...	...	...	4,87,97,864			
South Indian Railway	3,27,07,237	...	...	...	2,27,07,237			
Total	30,47,04,080	...	...	...	30,47,04,080			
† Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway								
East Indian Railway	18,72,06,696	...	...	...	18,72,06,696			
Eastern Bengal Railway	18,05,93,329	...	...	...	18,05,93,329			
Great Indian Peninsula Railway	8,10,54,458	...	...	...	8,10,54,458			
Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway	8,88,85,250	...	...	...	8,88,85,250			
North Western Railway	8,31,72,000	...	...	...	8,31,72,000			
South Western Railway	7,96,74,920	...	...	...	7,96,74,920			
South and Rohilkhand Railway	15,50,40,735	...	...	...	15,50,40,735			
South Indian Railway	7,03,88,855	...	...	...	7,03,88,855			
Indian Midland Railway	8,85,61,500	...	...	...	8,85,61,500			
Total	90,75,31,543	...	...	...	90,75,31,543			

APPENDIX—continued.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL STATISTICS.

Table III.—Capital Expenditure on Irrigation Major Works in 1911-12, and estimated expenditure on such works in 1912-13 and 1913-14, and to the end of 1913-14.

	Actual outlay to end of 1910-11.	Accounts 1911-12.	Revised Estimate, 1912-13.	Budget Estimate, 1913-14.	Total actual and estimated outlay to end of 1913-14.	Sanctioned estimate.	Balance of sanctioned estimate remaining to be spent.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
IRRIGATION WORKS.							
CAPITAL EXPENDITURE NOT CHARGED TO REVENUE.							
<i>Central Provinces.</i>							
Manadi Canal	68,470	88,618	4,50,000	10,75,000	16,77,088	96,09,475	79,32,387
La Mendha Tank	9,41,217	2,03,049	1,58,000	1,26,000	14,28,266	17,30,346	3,02,080
<i>Burma.</i>							
Adalay Canal	52,06,452	10,957	1,000	3,000	52,21,409	52,60,754	39,345
Sebo Canal	55,54,385	98,254	1,44,000	85,000	58,81,639	...	...
Canals	47,73,858	3,75,553	1,38,000	88,000	53,75,411	...	...
Canal	10,05,407	2,14,634	6,12,000	8,24,000	26,61,046	48,04,988	21,43,942
Canal	2,95,918	12,96,641	19,08,000	14,00,000	49,00,559	86,86,218	37,85,659
<i>Bengal.</i>							
Chapur Canal	83,11,696	—8,942	1,000	2,000	83,10,754	...	...
Tidal Canal	25,50,805	...	...	...	25,50,805	...	...
<i>Bihar.</i>							
Canals	2,61,94,135	19,832	49,000	58,000	2,68,20,967	...	...
Canal	2,58,20,458	56,495	26,000	32,000	2,59,34,953	...	...
<i>United Provinces.</i>							
Canal, including Mat and	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Branches	3,18,77,342	7,02,372	7,25,000	10,71,000	3,43,75,714	3,49,83,787	6,08,073
Ganges Canal	3,86,86,540	64,382	62,000	45,000	3,88,57,922	...	...
Canal	1,09,95,675	1,07,778	1,15,000	82,000	1,13,00,453	...	...
Jumna Canal	47,34,911	28,079	36,000	21,000	48,14,990	...	...
Canal*	12,15,319	1,08,277	23,000	15,000	13,61,596	...	...
Canal*	2,63,081	14,982	3,000	16,000	2,97,063	...	...
<i>Punjab.</i>							
Jumna Canal	1,65,86,401	47,784	80,000	41,000	1,67,55,185	...	...
Bari Doab Canal	2,02,92,803	4,28,772	—2,10,000	7,00,000	2,12,11,675	...	...
ditto	81,76,328	37,46,795	41,00,000	33,00,000	1,93,23,123	2,16,69,940	23,46,817
Canal	2,38,75,799	76,655	1,09,000	1,25,000	2,41,86,454	...	...
Chenab Canal	2,30,74,341	34,40,959	24,07,000	23,00,000	3,12,22,300	3,61,31,583	49,09,283
ditto	2,83,46,792	10,89,998	8,30,000	8,50,000	3,11,26,790	...	...
Jhelum Canal	1,82,06,076	69,89,561	57,58,000	52,12,000	3,61,65,637	4,29,40,282	67,74,645
ditto	1,58,03,378	—30,120	—34,000	1,00,000	1,58,39,258	1,83,95,782	25,56,524
Inundation Canals	24,64,292	2,19,582	22,000	1,00,000	28,05,874	35,11,381	7,05,507
<i>North-West Frontier Province.</i>							
Inundation Canal	9,15,786	—10,342	...	50,000	9,55,444	...	...
Swat River Canal	53,25,001	30,41,452	31,23,000	32,00,000	1,46,89,453	1,77,64,752	30,75,299
ditto	41,25,948	7,732	6,000	28,000	41,67,680	...	...
River Canal*	10,32,471	...	37,000	14,000	10,83,471	...	...
<i>Madras.</i>							
Delta System	1,22,80,122	1,10,417	1,22,000	2,16,000	1,27,28,539	1,27,81,228	52,689
Delta System	1,50,36,662	35,431	—25,000	6,000	1,50,55,093	1,51,57,434	1,02,341
River Canals System	56,04,760	31,385	...	...	56,36,145	...	...
Project	1,01,31,661	10,779	18,000	31,000	1,01,91,440	1,02,44,014	52,574
Delta System	38,09,342	51,763	13,000	70,000	39,74,105	39,97,306	23,201
Valli River Project	18,75,839	58,478	93,000	65,000	19,22,317	17,47,770	1,25,453
Island Project	18,05,577	13,370	8,000	12,000	18,38,947	19,50,000	1,11,053
Coleroon Anicut*	17,93,189	23,265	...	...	18,16,454	...	...
Anicut*	7,99,875	33,200	...	...	8,33,075	...	...
<i>Bombay.</i>							
Canal	26,37,410	3,168	...	...	26,40,578	...	...
Canal	21,04,930	90,486	80,000	61,000	23,36,416	...	...
Nara Works	65,70,506	11,978	...	58,000	66,40,484	69,31,165	2,90,681
Canal	80,65,031	24,882	37,000	80,000	82,06,913	83,58,288	1,51,375
Canal	73,47,398	42,522	4,000	2,000	73,95,920	...	...
<i>Other projects.</i>							
	3,96,49,039	1,94,625	7,28,000	6,26,000	4,11,97,664	...	...
<i>Outlay incurred from Ordinary Revenues.</i>							
	45,57,34,526	2,32,05,543	2,17,87,000	2,21,90,000	52,29,17,039	...	...
	7,14,17,030	1,57,586	1,60,000	1,90,000	7,19,24,615	...	...
<i>Carried over.</i>							
	38,43,17,496	2,30,47,958	2,16,27,000	2,20,00,000	46,09,92,454

*Transferred to "40" from 1st April 1907.

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COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL STATISTICS.

Table III.—Capital Expenditure on Irrigation Major Works in 1911-12, and estimated expenditure on such works in 1912-13, and 1913-14, and to the end of 1913-14.

	Actual outlay to end of 1910-1911.	Accounts, 1911-12.	Revised Estimate, 1912-13.	Budget Estimate, 1913-14.	Total actual and estimated outlay to end of 1913-14.	San- ctioned estimate.	Balance of sanctioned estimate remaining to be spent
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Brought forward	38,43,17,496	2,30,47,958	2,16,27,000	2,20,00,000	45,00,92,454		
PROTECTIVE IRRIGATION WORKS.							
<i>Central Provinces.</i>							
Tank Projects	71,32,305	14,98,152	16,04,000	16,19,000	1,18,53,457	1,84,45,276	65,91,819
<i>Behar.</i>							
Tribeni Canal	58,72,753	5,88,845	7,00,000	6,61,000	73,22,598	73,29,392	6,794
<i>United Provinces.</i>							
Botwa Canal (including Dukwa weir)	77,40,276	52,673	60,000	27,000	78,79,949	79,00,595	20,646
Ken Canal	42,67,054	3,59,283	3,17,000	4,67,000	51,10,837	54,78,333	67,996
Dassan Canal	38,30,863	3,17,552	2,92,000	88,000	45,28,415		
Ghaggar Canal			1,75,000	4,51,000	6,26,000	33,22,950	26,96,950
<i>Madras.</i>							
Rushikulya Project	46,36,486	138	6,000	10,000	46,52,818	46,60,622	8,275
Mopad Project	5,15,135	—7,982	50,000	3,69,000	9,26,153	20,53,877	11,27,724
<i>Bombay.</i>							
Godaveri Canal	58,08,573	14,87,603	7,30,000	5,38,000	85,64,176	88,34,597	2,70,421
Chankapur Tank	15,95,537	39,305	62,000	99,000	17,95,842		
Nira Canal (including Shetphal Tank)	60,70,183	1,828	40,000	18,000	61,30,011	64,74,292	3,44,281
Budhihal Tank	4,89,385	284			4,89,669	13,98,529	9,08,860
Pravara River Project	7,14,494	8,05,941	10,96,000	12,38,000	18,54,435	31,36,368	42,81,933
Nira Right Bank Canal			4,21,000	28,61,000	32,82,000	2,49,71,868	2,16,89,868
<i>Other Projects.</i>	68,56,690	2,47,807	2,94,000	2,41,000	76,39,497		
	5,50,29,734	53,91,153	58,47,000	86,87,000	7,49,54,887		
<i>Deduct—Outlay incurred from Ordinary Revenues</i>	25,50,303				25,50,303		
TOTAL	5,24,79,431	53,91,153	58,47,000	86,87,000	7,24,01,584		
GRAND TOTAL	48,67,96,927	2,84,39,111	2,74,74,000	3,06,87,000	52,33,97,038		

Appendix—continued.

Commercial and Financial Statistics.

Table IV.—Gross traffic receipts, working expenses, and net traffic receipts of State Railways for five years ending 1911-1912, with Revised Estimates for 1912-1913 and Budget Estimates for 1913-1914.

(Omitting 000, except in accounts.)

State Railways. (a)	ACCOUNTS.					Revised Estimate, 1912-1913.	Budget Estimate, 1913-14.
	1907-1908.	1908-1909.	1909-1910.	1910-1911.	1911-1912.		
Open mileage at beginning of year	M. 22,184	M. 23,643	M. 24,066	M. 24,604	M. 24,873	M. 25,176	M. 25,643
Gross Traffic Receipts.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
East Indian { England	3,450	3,450	3,450	3,450	3,450	3	3
India	8,18,29,919	8,22,05,033	8,08,60,767	8,79,77,711	9,24,96,744	10,45,00	10,40,00
Bhopal	4,83,588	4,29,276	4,68,717	5,70,163	5,58,428	9,00	7,00
Bengal-Nagpur	2,83,80,929	2,76,16,824	2,91,40,430	3,09,98,814	3,43,74,985	4,02,00	4,00,00
Burma Railways	1,74,88,747	1,78,99,015	1,82,14,382	1,86,56,276	1,96,08,933	2,02,00	2,00,00
Burma Railway Extensions	4,19,845	9,74,069	11,88,592	13,33,726	14,68,975	17,00	17,00
Assam-Bengal	47,94,957	47,40,919	49,62,475	52,65,372	57,94,913	66,00	66,00
Jorhat	98,874	99,592	95,895	95,331	1,16,465	1,10	1,10
Eastern Bengal	2,66,04,408	2,76,24,741	2,78,33,207	2,87,32,327	3,19,58,673	3,50,00	3,45,00
Bengal and North-Western, and Tirhoot	77,40,075	81,56,998	77,47,023	82,93,536	90,52,105	95,00	95,00
Oudh and Rohilkhand	1,81,44,868	1,59,40,704	1,60,65,818	1,90,73,555	2,13,76,309	2,43,00	2,40,00
Lucknow-Bareilly	16,38,082	17,84,735	16,09,764	18,55,706	20,14,664	22,80	22,00
Hardwar-Dehra	3,90,329	3,76,179	3,79,351	3,94,916	4,54,183	4,20	4,20
North Western	6,86,60,087	5,64,77,585	7,13,05,408	7,36,47,723	8,23,59,967	8,98,00	9,00,00
South Indian	1,56,11,631	2,06,75,889	2,18,74,339	2,29,00,546	2,58,82,260	2,72,00	2,80,00
Mysore State lines	22,82,304	30,68,684	28,65,053	28,68,732	31,36,594	36,00	35,00
Dhone Kurnool	...	37,283	1,20,354	98,234	1,16,729	1,13	1,15
Nilgiri	3,34,093	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agra-Delhi Chord	16,15,900	15,17,793	14,74,866	17,65,732	20,67,879	28,50	22,50
Bezwada Extension	3,15,375	3,38,623	3,12,154	3,42,614	3,54,266	3,90	3,90
Tinnevely-Quilon	6,17,960	6,54,829	6,45,739	7,03,544	7,79,707	8,20	8,35
Mayavaram-Mutupet	6,48,905	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jodhpur-Hyderabad (British Section)	8,36,848	6,66,318	8,38,085	9,11,724	12,63,365	13,50	13,50
Great Indian Penin- sula including { India	6,22,21,311	5,67,18,129	6,58,01,734	6,72,19,252	7,46,52,396	8,17,72	8,09,34
Indian Midland. { Eng- land	...	30,945	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay, Baroda and Central India system	4,93,90,615	4,52,05,725	5,00,31,701	5,46,98,694	6,01,33,008	6,47,00	6,40,00
Bezwada-Masulipatam	47,640	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tirrupattur-Krishnagiri	43,173	...	...	...	...	...	...
Morappur-Dharmapuri	80,153	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kalka-Simla	8,11,867	...	...	...	...	...	...
Azikhah-Mangalore	1,41,890	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras and Southern Maha- ratta Railway	1,85,23,385	2,88,01,441	2,99,76,511	3,09,39,822	3,40,03,129	3,59,10	3,60,00
Baran-Kotah	...	3,536	48,152	1,03,829	1,58,809	2,85	1,96
In England	3,450	34,395	3,450	3,450	3,450	3	3
„ India	41,01,47,258	40,19,63,920	43,38,55,517	45,94,42,886	50,36,83,486	55,45,00	55,13,00
Total	41,01,50,708	40,19,98,315	43,38,58,967	45,94,46,336	50,36,86,936	55,45,03	55,13,03

Appendix—continued.

	ACCOUNTS.					Revised Estimate, 1912-1913.	Budget Estimate, 1913-1914.
	1907-1908.	1908-1909.	1909-1910.	1910-1911.	1911-1912.		
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Working Expenses.							
East Indian	3,37,69,955	3,77,78,791	3,15,30,260	3,46,89,701	3,78,56,380	3,31,00	3,84,54
Bhopal	2,56,517	2,66,974	2,70,261	3,22,174	3,08,269	4,65	4,03
Bengal-Nagpur	1,45,62,960	1,58,66,049	1,54,92,894	1,65,12,192	1,69,10,696	1,83,00	1,84,50
Burma Railways	1,06,50,234	1,07,64,252	1,17,45,957	1,18,78,505	1,22,08,310	1,24,00	1,24,35
Burma Railway Extensions	1,75,579	5,06,998	7,46,831	8,57,929	8,80,870	10,33	10,65
Assam-Bengal	43,23,165	46,61,697	44,68,125	44,19,964	45,37,442	45,50	47,00
Jorhat	90,157	80,960	96,184	80,826	84,107	88	87
Eastern Bengal	1,75,61,827	1,89,57,924	1,80,87,197	1,68,15,069	1,85,33,643	1,97,15	1,96,00
Bengal and North-Western, and Tirhoot	31,97,268	38,72,926	35,91,829	34,78,072	32,87,052	38,00	44,15
Oudh and Rohilkhand	1,24,02,628	1,19,18,752	98,19,432	94,10,663	98,21,809	1,08,00	1,14,77
Lucknow-Bareilly	8,08,758	8,35,010	9,08,190	7,93,862	9,44,794	8,85	9,80
Hardwar-Dehra	1,95,164	1,88,090	1,89,675	1,97,459	2,27,091	2,10	2,15
North Western	3,77,39,277	4,87,04,721	5,17,91,335	4,42,72,378	4,68,85,376	4,84,00	5,10,00
South Indian	75,02,146	1,15,81,369	1,15,05,568	1,21,01,646	1,28,95,102	1,50,00	1,65,90
Mysore State lines	13,78,810	19,32,434	16,87,667	17,58,808	18,01,729	19,50	19,61
Dhone Kurnool . . . . .	...	19,797	78,554	64,235	92,010	82	80
Nilgiri	2,82,952	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agra-Delhi Chord	8,70,411	9,47,681	8,52,669	10,13,130	12,04,585	14,99	13,02
Bezwada Extension	1,31,493	1,46,999	1,59,599	1,84,361	2,13,450	2,31	2,09
Tinnevely-Quilon	3,00,932	3,66,487	3,53,520	3,73,822	4,31,969	4,60	5,13
Mayavaram-Mutpet	3,55,157	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jodhpur-Hyderabad (British Sec- tion)	4,75,202	4,18,681	4,80,101	5,07,815	5,62,635	6,20	6,42
Great Indian Peninsula including Indian Midland	3,56,11,997	3,49,32,239	3,60,61,763	3,91,45,780	4,02,02,371	4,40,67	4,50,62
Bombay, Baroda and Central India System	2,48,78,191	2,57,74,435	2,50,80,694	2,72,54,979	2,99,73,315	3,11,00	3,20,00
Bezwada-Masulipatam	21,438	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tirrupattur-Krishangiri	86,932	...	...	...	...	...	...
Morappur-Dharmapuri	26,966	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kalka-Simla	4,50,581	...	...	...	...	...	...
Azikhah-Mangalore	87,005	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway	1,19,61,808	1,83,57,779	1,83,91,988	1,86,69,948	1,90,03,314	2,01,00	2,04,37
Baran-Kotah . . . . .	...	1,955	24,971	51,109	79,405	1,42	1,12
Total	22,01,05,510	24,88,83,000	24,32,14,762	24,48,54,427	25,89,45,724	27,40,00	28,22,49

Appendix—continued.

	ACCOUNTS.					Revised Estimate, 1912-13.	Budget Estimate 1913-14.
	1907-08.	1908-09.	1909-10.	1910-11.	1911-12.		
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Net Traffic Receipts.							
East Indian	4,80,63,414	4,44,29,692	4,93,33,957	5,32,91,460	5,46,43,814	6,64,03	6,55,49
Bhopal	2,27,071	1,62,302	1,98,456	2,47,994	2,50,159	4,35	2,97
Bengal-Nagpur	1,38,17,969	1,17,50,775	1,36,47,536	1,44,86,622	1,74,64,289	2,19,00	2,15,50
Burma Railways	68,88,513	71,94,763	64,68,423	67,77,771	74,00,623	78,00	75,65
Burma Railway Extensions	2,44,266	4,67,071	4,37,263	4,75,797	5,88,105	6,67	6,35
Assam-Bengal	4,71,792	79,222	1,94,350	8,45,408	12,57,471	20,50	18,40
Cochin	8,717	18,632	—289	14,505	32,358	22	23
Eastern Bengal	90,42,581	86,06,817	97,46,010	1,19,17,258	1,34,25,030	1,52,82	1,49,00
Bengal and North-Western, and Tirhoot	45,42,807	42,84,072	41,55,194	48,15,464	57,65,053	57,00	50,85
Oudh and Rohilkhand	57,42,240	40,21,952	64,46,386	96,62,892	1,15,54,500	1,35,00	1,25,23
Lucknow-Bareilly	8,29,324	8,99,725	7,01,574	10,61,844	10,69,870	13,95	12,20
Hardwar-Dehra	1,95,165	1,88,080	1,89,676	1,97,459	2,27,092	2,10	2,05
North Western	3,06,20,810	77,72,864	1,95,14,073	2,93,75,345	3,54,74,591	4,14,00	3,90,00
South Indian	8,10,9,485	90,94,520	1,03,68,773	1,07,98,900	1,24,87,158	1,22,00	1,14,10
Mysore State lines	9,03,494	11,36,250	11,77,386	11,09,924	13,34,865	16,50	15,39
Dhone Kurnool . . . . .	...	17,486	41,800	33,999	24,719	31	35
Nilgiri	51,141	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agra Delhi Chord	7,45,489	5,70,112	6,22,197	7,52,602	8,63,294	13,51	9,48
Bezwada Extension	1,88,882	1,91,624	1,52,555	1,58,253	1,40,816	1,59	1,81
Tinnevely-Qulion	3,17,028	2,88,342	2,92,219	3,29,722	3,47,738	3,60	3,22
Mayavaram-Mutpet	2,93,748	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jodhpur-Hyderabad (British Sec- tion)	3,61,146	2,47,637	3,57,984	4,02,909	7,00,730	7,36	7,08
Great Indian Peninsula including Indian Midland	2,66,09,314	2,18,16,835	2,97,39,971	2,80,73,472	3,44,50,025	3,77,05	3,58,72
Bombay, Baroda and Central India System	2,45,12,424	1,94,31,290	2,49,51,007	2,74,38,715	3,01,59,693	3,36,00	3,20,00
Bezwada Masulipatam	26,202	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tirupattur-Krishnagiri	6,241	...	...	...	...	...	...
Morrappur-Dharmapuri	3,187	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kalka-Simla	3,61,286	...	...	...	...	...	...
Azikhul-Mangalore	54,885	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway	65,61,577	1,04,43,662	1,15,84,523	1,22,69,874	1,40,99,815	1,58,10	1,55,63
Baran-Kotah . . . . .	...	1,581	23,181	52,720	79,404	1,42	84
Total	19,00,45,198	15,31,15,315	19,06,44,205	21,45,91,909	24,47,41,212	28,05,03	26,90,51

APPENDIX—continued.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL STATISTICS.

Table V.—Gross receipts, working expenses, and net earnings of Irrigation—Major Works for five years ending 1911-12, with Revised Estimates for 1912-13, and Budget Estimate for 1913-14.

	ACTUALS.					Revised Estimate, 1912-13.	Budget Estimate, 1913-14.
	1907-08.	1908-09.	1909-10.	1910-11.	1911-12.		
DIRECT RECEIPTS—	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		
Mandalay canal	3,91,658	2,76,217	2,91,443	2,86,156	2,94,909	2,88,000	2,90,000
Shwebo canal	2,68,091	3,15,471	5,19,267	5,84,592	6,20,521	6,20,000	6,22,000
Midnapur canal	1,53,330	1,74,734	2,02,123	2,07,396	2,15,470	2,14,000	2,27,000
Hijili Tidal canal	58,703	46,055	63,742	55,357	62,657	49,000	53,000
Orissa canals	4,87,689	5,14,772	5,27,884	5,17,673	5,37,234	5,23,000	5,39,000
Sone canals	16,63,360	18,71,088	18,95,202	17,69,789	16,55,488	16,69,000	17,62,000
Ganges canal (including Hathras Branch)	40,27,680	40,65,922	37,41,594	35,28,071	34,48,523	35,86,000	35,39,000
Lower Ganges canal	28,24,921	26,94,110	23,85,462	26,54,428	27,91,739	22,58,000	23,85,000
Ditto, Fatehpur Branch	3,01,590	3,64,066	3,45,340				
Agra canal	8,28,606	8,17,525	8,02,427	7,40,050	6,60,252	6,60,000	7,49,000
Eastern Jumna canal	15,27,883	13,84,614	14,53,383	12,64,610	12,90,994	11,60,000	12,82,000
† Dun canal	98,616	1,18,886	1,16,228	1,15,654	1,00,842	93,000	97,000
† Bijnor canal	18,760	26,778	90,111	31,665	27,888	33,000	25,000
Betwa canal	2,11,431	1,19,447	2,86,365	1,83,400	2,28,513	1,52,000	1,42,000
Western Jumna canal	30,70,580	24,11,139	21,64,690	20,67,901	23,50,104	27,60,000	27,00,000
Upper Bari Doab canal	33,80,707	35,16,200	35,33,808	35,80,939	38,33,926	43,03,000	42,50,000
Sirhind canal	31,05,728	30,19,407	21,04,786	20,23,490	30,60,221	47,00,000	44,27,000
Lower Chenab canal	60,71,272	71,18,579	84,95,508	90,10,924	86,28,091	87,90,000	88,26,000
Lower Jhelum canal	13,62,674	19,34,822	21,04,205	23,14,947	22,77,355	26,82,000	25,90,000
Indus Inundation canals	1,20,276	1,44,057	1,78,155	1,72,463	2,76,057	2,60,000	2,50,000
Lower Swat River canal	5,32,841	5,43,658	5,67,754	5,44,662	5,50,387	6,10,000	5,70,000
Kabul River canal	1,25,644	1,56,585	1,63,762	1,56,352	1,45,008	2,00,000	1,80,000
Godavari Delta system	1,17,722	1,24,262	1,27,098	1,29,856	1,25,557	1,27,000	1,27,000
Kistna " "	81,657	83,697	88,683	88,473	82,948	88,000	87,000
Cauvery Delta system	3,373	2,407	4,549	6,000	4,576	5,000	5,000
Pennér River canals	2,727	5,798	2,074	3,274	3,028	2,000	2,000
Periyar project	3,375	3,956	10,241	13,803	8,785	11,000	10,000
Rushikulya project	2,457	2,637	2,777	1,309	1,473	2,000	2,000
Lower Coleroon anicut system	2,591	1,679	2,320	2,187	1,281	2,000	1,000
Shatidape anicut " "	866	744	815	448	701	...	...
Desert canal	75,284	66,755	1,01,774	91,208	85,707	75,000	85,000
Begari " "	41,325	44,222	43,131	35,717	10,826	30,000	30,000
Eastern Nara works	40,406	31,654	23,572	23,572	26,486	23,000	23,000
Jamrao canal	16,438	16,101	20,238	27,066	29,310	25,000	25,000
Mutha canals	3,43,020	3,66,300	3,54,618	3,96,247	4,33,565	3,25,000	3,50,000
Nira canal	4,60,671	2,95,164	4,01,109	3,20,314	4,26,893	4,40,000	4,81,000
Other projects	12,81,125	10,34,744	14,49,919	14,20,214	14,35,679	17,15,000	23,46,000
TOTAL	3,31,20,215	3,37,14,356	3,46,06,161	3,43,20,758	3,57,22,988	3,84,80,000	3,90,59,000
PORTION OF LAND REVENUE DUE TO IRRIGATION—							
Mandalay canal	5,505	53,345	53,648	51,697	51,713	59,000	60,000
Shwebo canal	24,076	26,791	42,934	65,758	86,540	79,000	87,000
Ganges canal	9,22,411	9,23,276	9,29,409	9,35,716	9,43,658	9,44,000	9,41,000
Lower Ganges canal	4,16,669	4,16,669	4,29,702	4,43,493	4,58,555	4,58,000	4,58,000
Ditto Fatehpur Branch	388	388	388				
Eastern Jumna " "	2,53,952	2,53,952	2,53,952	2,53,952	2,53,952	2,54,000	2,54,000
† Dun canal	24,980	24,980	24,980	24,980	24,980	25,000	25,000
† Bijnor canal	14,984	14,984	14,984	14,984	14,984	15,000	15,000
Carried over	16,62,965	17,14,385	17,49,997	17,90,520	18,34,682	18,34,000	18,43,000

* Excluding Civil Officers' figures as under:—

	Revised. Rs.	Budget. Rs.
United Provinces	1,62,000	1,64,000
Punjab	4,43,000	70,000
Total	6,05,000	2,34,000

† Transferred to 49, from 1st April 1907.

APPENDIX—continued.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL STATISTICS.

Table V.—Gross receipts, working expenses, and net earnings of Irrigation—Major Works, for five years ending 1911-12, with Revised Estimates for 1912-13 and Budget Estimates for 1913-14—continued.

	ACTUALS.					Revised Estimate, 1912-13.	Budget Estimate, 1913-14.
	1907-08.	1908-09.	1909-10.	1910-11.	1911-12.		
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
PORTION OF LAND REVENUE DUE TO IRRIGATION—contd.							
Brought forward	16,62,965	17,14,355	17,49,997	17,90,520	18,34,682	18,24,000	18,48,000
Western Jumna canal	..	30	130	2,75,566	2,23,412	2,75,000	2,75,000
Upper Bari Doab canal	..	3,13,004	3,19,858	3,25,331	3,25,187	3,26,150	3,26,000
Lower Chenab canal	..	10,51,332	13,34,580	16,99,083	17,07,676	41,42,468	50,87,000
Lower Jhelum	..	3,19,280	3,78,515	4,08,369	4,93,381	4,87,614	15,00,000
Indus Inundation canals	..	3,16,389	2,44,200	2,74,563	2,72,619	2,78,279	2,71,000
Lower Swat River canal	..	50,398	50,451	50,376	50,568	50,601	50,000
Kabul River canal	..	2,175	39,879	5,430	5,649	14,869	6,000
Godavari Delta System	..	34,23,425	35,14,232	34,04,419	33,75,550	38,02,481	36,14,000
Kistna	..	31,27,650	32,07,665	32,62,547	32,92,091	33,31,478	33,72,000
Cauvery	..	9,32,393	9,32,380	9,37,519	9,40,219	9,97,224	9,97,000
Pennér River canals	..	5,30,680	5,74,297	4,08,308	5,79,763	5,38,177	5,38,000
Periyar project	..	5,19,689	5,20,565	5,34,958	5,34,393	5,49,381	5,44,000
Rushikulya Project	..	1,04,557	1,09,070	1,16,318	1,36,833	1,45,868	1,58,000
† Lower Coleroon ancient system	..	2,77,144	2,78,952	2,81,959	2,78,803	2,79,648	2,82,000
† Shariatpore ancient	..	1,04,152	1,06,654	1,00,733	1,01,874	1,03,736	1,04,000
Desert canal	..	1,32,387	2,68,678	2,29,577	2,51,332	2,09,297	2,44,000
Begari	..	5,27,973	5,49,748	4,80,083	4,57,215	1,53,850	2,45,000
Eastern Nara Works	..	4,62,019	5,53,773	5,28,887	5,88,423	6,13,899	6,37,000
Jamrao canal	..	6,24,200	4,59,024	5,57,620	6,42,662	6,65,637	7,40,000
Mutha canal	..	-9,208	-10,899	-10,117	-12,088	-14,020	...
Nira canal	..	-22,407	-14,214	-19,764	-15,768	-21,638	...
Other projects	..	11,57,797	12,33,550	14,39,479	15,97,585	15,55,889	17,66,000
TOTAL	1,56,07,959	1,63,65,668	1,67,60,820	1,76,70,078	2,02,71,977	2,25,90,000	2,29,46,000
TOTAL REVENUE—							
Mandalay canal	..	3,97,163	3,29,562	3,45,091	3,37,793	3,46,622	3,47,000
Shwabo canal	..	2,92,167	3,42,262	5,62,201	6,00,350	7,07,061	6,99,000
Midnapur canal	..	1,53,330	1,74,734	2,02,123	2,07,396	2,15,470	2,14,000
Hijili Tidal canal	..	58,703	46,055	63,742	55,357	62,657	49,000
Orissa canals	..	4,87,689	5,14,772	5,27,884	5,17,673	5,37,234	5,23,000
Sone canals	..	16,63,360	18,71,085	18,95,202	17,69,789	16,95,488	16,69,000
Ganges canal (including Hathras Branch)	..	49,50,091	49,89,198	46,71,093	44,63,787	43,92,481	45,30,000
Lower Ganges canal	..	32,41,595	31,10,779	28,15,164	30,97,921	32,50,288	27,18,000
Ditto Fatehpur Branch	..	3,01,978	3,04,454	3,45,737			
Agra canal	..	8,28,006	8,17,525	8,02,427	7,40,050	6,60,252	6,60,000
Eastern Jumna canal	..	17,81,335	16,38,566	17,07,335	15,18,562	14,94,946	14,14,000
† Dun canal	..	1,23,676	1,43,866	1,41,203	1,40,634	1,25,822	1,18,000
† Bijnor canal	..	33,744	41,762	45,095	46,649	42,872	45,000
Betwa canal	..	2,11,431	1,19,447	2,86,365	1,88,900	2,28,513	1,52,000
Western Jumna canal	..	30,70,580	24,11,169	21,64,820	23,43,487	25,73,516	30,35,000
Upper Bari Doab canal	..	36,99,711	38,36,153	38,59,139	39,06,126	41,60,076	46,29,000
Sirhind canal	..	31,05,728	30,19,407	21,04,786	20,23,490	30,60,221	47,00,000
Lower Chenab canal	..	71,22,604	84,53,159	1,01,94,591	1,07,18,600	1,27,70,559	1,38,77,000
Lower Jhelum canal	..	16,81,954	23,13,337	25,07,574	28,08,328	27,64,969	41,82,000
Indus Inundation canals	..	4,36,665	3,88,257	4,52,718	4,45,082	5,54,836	5,31,000
Lower Swat River canal	..	5,83,284	5,94,109	6,18,130	5,95,230	6,00,988	6,60,000
† Kabul river canal	..	1,27,819	1,96,464	1,69,198	1,62,092	1,59,877	2,06,000
Godavari Delta System	..	35,41,147	36,38,494	35,31,517	35,05,406	39,28,038	37,41,000
Kistna	..	32,09,307	32,91,362	33,51,230	33,80,564	34,14,421	34,60,000
Carried over	4,11,04,120	4,26,45,981	4,33,64,275	4,35,68,176	4,77,36,707	5,21,60,000	5,22,60,000

† Transferred to 40, from 1st April 1907.

APPENDIX—continued.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL STATISTICS.

Table V.—Gross receipts, working expenses, and net earnings of Irrigation—Major Works for five years ending 1911-12, with Revised Estimates for 1912-13, and Budget Estimates for 1913-14—continued.

	ACTUALS.					Revised Estimate, 1912-13.	Budget, Estimate, 1913-14.
	1907-08.	1908-09.	1909-10.	1910-11.	1911-12.		
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
TOTAL REVENUE—concl'd.							
Brought forward	4,11,04,120	4,26,45,981	4,33,64,275	4,35,68,176	4,77,36,707	5,21,60,000	5,22,60,000
Cauvery Delta System	9,35,766	9,34,787	9,42,068	9,46,219	10,01,800	10,02,000	10,02,000
Penner River canals	5,33,407	5,80,095	4,10,382	5,83,037	5,41,205	5,40,000	5,40,000
Periyar Project	5,23,064	5,24,821	5,45,199	5,48,196	5,55,166	5,55,000	5,87,000
Rushikulya Project	1,07,014	1,11,707	1,19,095	1,38,142	1,47,341	1,60,000	1,62,000
† Lower Coleroon anicut system	2,79,735	2,80,631	2,84,279	2,80,990	2,80,929	2,84,000	2,83,000
† Shariatope anicut system	1,05,018	1,07,398	1,01,548	1,02,372	1,04,437	1,04,000	1,04,000
Desert canal	2,07,671	3,35,433	3,31,351	3,42,540	2,95,004	3,19,000	3,72,000
Begari	5,69,298	5,93,970	5,23,214	4,92,932	1,64,676	2,75,000	2,85,000
Eastern Narmada Works	5,11,425	5,85,427	5,52,459	6,12,000	6,40,385	6,60,000	6,61,000
Jamrao canal	6,40,688	4,75,125	5,77,867	6,69,728	6,97,947	7,65,000	7,82,000
Mutha canal	3,33,812	3,55,401	3,44,501	3,84,159	4,19,545	3,25,000	3,50,000
Nira canal	4,38,264	2,80,950	3,81,345	3,04,546	4,15,255	4,40,000	4,81,000
Other projects	24,38,922	22,68,298	28,89,398	30,17,799	29,91,568	34,81,000	41,36,000
TOTAL	4,87,28,204	5,00,80,024	5,13,66,981	5,19,90,836	5,59,94,965	6,10,70,000	6,20,05,000
WORKING EXPENSES—							
Mandalay canal	81,472	82,302	81,457	94,787	81,603	92,000	94,000
Shaweeb canal	1,19,394	1,19,591	1,37,721	1,66,463	2,10,659	2,47,000	2,31,000
Midnapore canal	1,84,291	2,12,361	2,21,375	1,90,318	2,43,964	2,44,000	1,87,000
Hijili Tidal canal	40,783	46,676	55,740	74,508	33,122	32,000	53,000
Orissa canals	4,30,069	4,19,057	4,44,664	4,47,819	4,06,871	4,08,000	4,51,000
Sone canals	7,51,790	6,98,982	7,04,989	7,15,221	6,58,557	6,67,000	7,52,000
Ganges canal	12,22,219	12,56,713	12,97,630	11,86,609	12,22,142	9,53,000	9,84,000
Lower Ganges canal	10,43,099	10,36,765	10,08,748	11,18,824	10,39,189	10,66,000	10,21,000
Ditto Bhatpur Branch	1,33,344	1,37,413	1,34,651				
Agra canal	3,16,712	3,35,275	3,83,954	3,34,822	3,36,986	3,41,000	3,01,000
Eastern Jamna canal	4,18,193	4,11,535	4,83,584	4,38,285	4,05,534	3,77,000	3,45,000
† Dun canal	81,194	1,09,600	1,33,133	1,06,572	80,845	83,000	90,000
† Bijoor canal	16,589	16,765	21,395	21,303	26,698	26,000	22,000
Betwa canal	1,23,490	1,33,140	1,17,460	1,31,059	1,56,583	1,69,000	1,65,000
Western Jamna canal	9,89,606	9,92,668	10,61,811	10,43,129	11,49,041	11,00,000	11,45,000
Upper Bari Doab canal	14,86,234	13,44,928	13,24,386	13,26,549	16,32,005	16,00,000	16,00,000
Sirhind canal	9,20,568	8,99,546	8,28,628	8,45,564	9,29,748	9,50,000	9,70,000
Lower Chenab canal	18,65,256	19,28,633	23,37,425	22,67,303	23,70,127	23,50,000	23,00,000
Lower Jhelum canal	7,23,559	8,26,808	5,00,166	8,29,014	9,94,308	9,20,000	8,25,000
Indus Inundation canals	3,69,311	4,47,559	6,88,949	6,76,704	4,04,818	4,00,000	3,00,000
Lower Swat River canal	1,18,842	1,36,679	1,40,726	1,43,055	1,70,436	1,59,000	71,000
Kabul River canal	96,616	60,122	72,283	97,600	1,07,147	1,19,000	89,000
Godavari Delta System	7,11,456	7,69,866	8,32,095	7,80,126	7,73,247	7,00,000	7,52,000
Kistna	5,33,036	5,67,852	5,58,559	7,10,514	6,28,138	5,76,000	6,19,000
Cauvery	81,303	1,54,028	1,17,419	1,87,852	1,20,350	1,23,000	1,27,000
Penner River canals	67,953	70,682	68,934	75,370	52,498	58,000	69,000
Periyar Project	1,65,530	1,61,144	1,35,374	1,14,356	1,30,707	1,19,000	1,23,000
Rushikulya Project	41,387	47,355	48,383	36,767	44,334	36,000	39,000
† Lower Coleroon anicut system	75,771	59,902	60,021	92,123	88,904	1,03,000	59,000
† Shariatope anicut system	23,744	22,218	20,343	25,551	30,594	24,000	21,000
Desert canal	1,79,374	1,26,153	1,13,096	1,37,454	1,39,730	1,27,000	1,45,000
Carried over	1,34,12,220	1,36,32,408	1,44,35,099	1,44,15,621	1,46,68,885	1,41,69,000	1,39,41,000

† Transferred to 49, from 1st April 1907.

APPENDIX—continued.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL STATISTICS.

Table V.—Gross receipts, working expenses, and net earnings of Irrigation—Major Works. for five years ending 1911-12, with Revised Estimates for 1912-13, and Budget Estimates for 1913-14—continued.

	ACTUALS.					Revised Estimate, 1912-13	Budget Estimate, 1913-14
	1907-08.	1908-09.	1909-10.	1910-11.	1911-12.		
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Brought forward	1,34,12,220	1,36,32,408	1,44,35,099	1,44,15,621	1,46,68,885	1,41,69,000	1,39,41,000
WORKING EXPENSES—concd.							
Begari canal	56,636	1,00,364	79,377	1,80,608	1,30,759	1,70,000	1,66,000
Eastern Nara Works	1,65,291	2,19,069	1,64,741	1,94,170	2,49,693	1,67,000	1,50,000
Jamrao canal	2,92,478	3,42,833	2,70,771	2,81,773	2,94,425	3,15,000	2,90,000
Mutha canals	94,580	1,01,410	1,04,492	99,945	96,886	95,000	79,000
Nira canal	74,710	74,026	70,048	74,003	77,769	1,32,000	1,20,000
Other projects	9,64,222	10,78,116	12,88,638	13,98,199	16,58,126	21,26,000	26,73,000
TOTAL	1,50,60,137	1,55,48,826	1,64,13,166	1,66,44,319	1,71,76,543	1,71,14,000	1,74,19,000
NET REVENUE—							
Mandalay canal	3,15,691	2,47,170	2,63,634	2,43,006	2,65,019	2,55,000	2,56,000
Shwebo canal	1,72,773	2,22,671	4,24,480	4,33,887	4,96,402	4,92,000	4,78,000
Midnapur canal	—30,961	—37,627	—19,252	17,078	—23,494	—30,000	40,000
Hijili Tidal canal	17,920	—621	8,002	—19,151	29,585	17,000	...
Orissa canals	57,620	95,715	83,220	69,854	1,30,363	1,15,000	88,000
Sone canals	9,11,570	11,72,106	11,90,213	10,54,568	10,36,931	10,02,000	10,10,000
Ganges canal (including Hathras Branch)	37,27,572	37,32,465	33,73,373	32,77,178	31,70,339	35,77,000	34,99,000
Lower Ganges canal	21,98,499	20,74,014	18,06,416	19,79,097	22,11,099	16,50,000	18,22,000
Ditto, Fatehpur Branch	1,68,634	2,27,041	2,11,086	2,11,086	2,11,086	2,11,086	2,11,086
Agra canal	5,11,894	4,82,250	4,18,473	4,05,228	3,23,266	3,19,000	4,48,000
Eastern Jumna canal	13,63,642	12,27,031	12,23,751	10,80,277	10,79,412	10,37,000	11,91,000
Dun canal	42,482	34,266	8,070	34,062	44,977	35,000	32,000
Bijnor canal	17,155	24,997	23,700	25,346	16,174	22,000	18,000
Betwa canal	87,941	—13,693	1,68,905	52,841	71,930	—17,000	—23,000
Western Jumna canal	20,80,974	14,18,471	11,02,879	13,00,358	14,24,475	19,35,000	18,30,000
Upper Bari Doab canal	22,13,477	24,91,225	25,34,753	25,79,577	25,28,071	30,29,000	29,76,000
Sirhind canal	21,85,165	21,19,861	12,76,158	11,77,926	21,30,473	37,50,000	34,57,000
Lower Chenab canal	52,57,348	65,24,526	78,57,166	84,51,297	1,04,00,432	1,15,27,000	1,19,30,000
Lower Jhelum canal	9,58,395	14,86,529	17,07,408	19,79,314	17,70,661	32,62,000	31,65,000
Indus Inundation canals	67,854	—59,302	—2,36,231	—2,31,622	1,49,518	1,31,000	2,21,000
Lower Swat River canal	4,64,392	4,57,430	4,77,404	4,52,175	4,30,552	5,01,000	5,49,000
Kabul River canal	31,203	1,86,342	96,915	64,402	52,730	87,000	77,000
Godavari delta system	28,29,691	28,68,628	26,99,422	27,25,280	31,54,791	30,41,000	29,89,000
Kistna	26,76,271	27,23,510	27,92,671	26,70,050	27,86,283	28,84,000	28,40,000
Canvery Delta system	8,54,463	7,80,759	8,24,649	7,58,367	8,81,450	8,79,000	8,75,000
Penner River canals system	4,65,454	5,09,413	3,41,448	5,07,667	4,88,707	4,82,000	4,71,000
Periyar Project	3,57,534	3,63,677	4,09,825	4,33,840	4,27,459	4,36,000	4,64,000
Rushikulya project	65,627	64,352	70,712	1,01,375	1,03,007	1,25,000	1,23,000
Lower Coleroon anicut system	2,03,964	2,20,729	2,24,258	1,88,567	1,92,025	1,81,000	2,33,000
Shariatpore anicut	81,234	85,180	81,205	76,821	73,843	80,000	83,000
Desert canal	28,297	2,09,280	2,18,255	2,05,086	1,55,274	1,92,000	2,27,000
Begari	5,12,662	4,93,606	4,43,837	3,12,324	33,917	1,65,000	1,19,000
Eastern Nara Works	3,46,134	3,65,758	3,87,718	4,17,830	3,90,692	4,93,000	5,11,000
Jamrao canal	3,48,210	1,32,292	3,07,096	3,87,955	4,03,522	4,50,000	4,92,000
Mutha canals	2,39,232	2,53,991	2,40,009	2,84,214	3,22,659	2,30,000	2,71,000
Nira canal	3,63,554	2,06,924	3,11,297	2,80,548	3,37,486	3,08,000	3,61,000
Other projects	14,74,700	11,90,212	16,00,890	16,19,600	13,33,442	13,55,000	14,63,000
TOTAL	3,36,68,067	3,45,31,198	3,49,53,815	3,53,46,517	3,88,18,422	4,39,56,000	4,45,86,000

* Excluding Civil Officers' figures as under:—

	Revised. Rs.	Budget. Rs.
United Provinces	18,000	18,000
Punjab	3,000	2,000
	21,000	20,000

Appendix—continued.

Table VI.—Capital Account of Subsidized Railways.

Actuals, 1911-1912.

RAILWAYS.		Amount in Rupees.	Amount in sterling at contract rates.	Equivalent at Rs. 15=£1.	Exchange.
		Rs.	£	Rs.	Rs.
Subsidized Railways.					
Receipts.					
Capital received in India.	Amritsar-Patti-Kasur	1,67,955	11,197	1,67,955	...
	Idar Road Brahmakhed				
	Ahmedabad-Dholka	3,30,495	22,033	3,30,495	...
	Ahmedabad-Parantij				
	Tapti Valley				
	Hardwar-Dehra	6,000	400	6,000	...
	Mymensingh-Jamalpur-Jagannathganj	34,005	2,267	34,005	...
	Murtazpur-Ellichpur	3,24,000	21,600	3,24,000	...
Total Receipts		8,62,455	57,497	8,62,455	...
Withdrawals in India.					
	Assam Bengal	—5,73,617	—38,241	—5,73,617	...
	Bengal Nagpur	2,93,036	19,536	2,93,036	...
	Ditto Extensions	45,77,586	305,172	45,77,586	...
	Burma	22,22,775	148,185	22,22,775	...
	Lucknow-Bareilly	—76,669	—5,111	—76,669	...
	Madras and Southern Mahratta	—25,26,719	—168,448	—25,26,719	...
		39,16,392	261,093	39,16,392	...
	Amritsar-Patti-Kasur	1,08,874	7,258	1,08,874	...
	Idar Road Brahmakhed				
	Tapti Valley	3,01,345	20,090	3,01,345	...
	Ahmedabad-Dholka				
	Ahmedabad-Parantij				
	Hardwar-Dehra	26,731	1,782	26,731	...
	Mymensingh-Jamalpur-Jagannathganj	41,868	2,791	41,868	...
	Murtazpur-Ellichpur	3,24,000	21,600	3,24,000	...
		8,02,818	53,521	8,02,818	...
Total Withdrawals		47,19,210	314,614	47,19,210	...
Net Withdrawals		38,56,755	257,117	38,56,755	...

Appendix—continued.

Table VI.—Capital Account of Subsidized Railways—continued.

Revised Estimate, 1912-1913.

RAILWAYS.		Amount in Rupees. (Omitting 000.)	Amount in sterling at contract rates. (Omitting 00.)	Equivalent at Rs. 15 = £ 1. (Omitting 000.)	Exchange. (Omitting 000.)
Subsidized Railways.		Rs.	£	Rs.	Rs.
Receipts.					
Capital received in India.	Amritsar-Patti-Kasur	79	5,2	79	...
	Ahmedabad-Parantij . . . . .	...	...	...	...
	Dhond-Baramati	58	3,9	58	...
	Murtajapur Ellichpur	6,22	41,5	6,22	...
	Murtajapur-Yeotmal	2,20	14,7	2,20	...
	Hardwar-Dehra	51	3,4	51	...
	Mymensingh-Jamalpur-Jagannathganj	29	1,9	29	...
Total Receipts		10,59	70,6	10,59	...
Withdrawals in India.					
Assam Bengal		—6,33	—42,2	—6,33	...
Bengal Nagpur		11,48	76,5	11,48	...
Ditto Extensions		35,21	234,8	35,21	...
Burma		5,00	33,3	5,00	...
Lucknow Bareilly		—54	—3,6	—54	...
Madras and Southern Mahratta		—30,00	—200,0	—30,00	...
		14,82	98,8	14,82	...
Amritsar Patti-Kasur		82	5,5	82	...
Dhond-Baramati		58	3,9	58	...
Idar Road Brahmakhed		40	2,6	40	...
Hardwar-Dehra		25	1,7	25	...
Mymensingh-Jamalpur-Jagannathganj		41	2,7	41	...
Murtajapur Ellichpur		6,22	41,5	6,22	...
Murtajapur-Yeotmal		2,20	14,7	2,20	...
Tapti Valley		5	3	5	...
		10,93	72,9	10,93	...
Total Withdrawals		25,75	171,7	25,75	...
Net Withdrawals		15,16	101,1	15,16	...

Appendix—concluded.**Table VI.—Capital Account of Subsidized Railways—concluded.****Budget Estimate, 1913-1914.**

Railways.	Amount in Rupees. (Omitting 000.)	Amount in sterling at contract rates. (Omitting 00.)	Equivalent at Rs 15= £1. (Omitting 000.)	Exchange. (Omitting 000.)
	Rs.	£	Rs.	Rs.
Subsidized Railways.				
Receipts.				
Capital received in India.				
Ahmedabad-Dholka	7	5	7	...
Ahmedabad-Parantij	8	2	8	...
Amritsar-Patti-Kasur	35	2,3	35	...
Dhond-Baramati	4,53	30,2	4,53	...
Hardwar-Dehra	26	1,8	26	...
Idar-Road-Brahmakhed	55	3,7	55	...
Mymensingh-Jamalpur-Jagannathganj	78	5,2	78	...
Murtajapur-Ellichpur	5,64	37,6	5,64	...
Murtajapur-Yeatmal	11,22	74,8	11,22	...
Tapti Valley	70	4,6	70	...
Total Receipts	24,13	160,9	24,13	...
Withdrawals in India.				
Assam-Bengal	—32,50	—216,7	—32,50	...
Bengal-Nagpur	14,07	98,8	14,07	...
Ditto Extensions	30,57	203,8	30,57	...
Burma	21,05	140,4	21,05	...
Lucknow-Bareilly	—1,76	—11,7	—1,76	...
Madras and Southern Mahratta	—21,58	—143,9	—21,58	...
	9,85	65,7	9,85	...
Ahmedabad-Dholka	10	7	10	...
Ahmedabad-Parantij	10	7	10	...
Amritsar-Patti Kasur	35	2,3	35	...
Dhond-Baramati	4,53	30,2	4,53	...
Hardwar-Dehra	26	1,8	26	...
Idar Road-Brahmakhed	57	3,8	57	...
Mymensingh-Jamalpur-Jagannathganj	78	5,2	78	...
Murtajapur-Ellichpur	5,64	37,6	5,64	...
Murtajapur-Yeatmal	11,22	74,8	11,22	...
Tapti Valley	70	4,6	70	...
	24,25	161,7	24,25	...
Total Withdrawals	84,10	227,4	84,10	...
Net Withdrawals	9,97	66,5	9,97	...

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DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the six days ending at 8 hrs. on Wednesday, the 19th March 1913, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. A depression which appeared over Sind advanced northwards into the Kashmir Himalayas and occasioned numerous dust storms in the plains of north-west India and nearly general precipitation on the 17th in Kashmir and the adjacent districts. Rain fell in Lower Bengal on the 18th, but with the exception of a few falls in Assam and Burma weather was dry in the rest of the Indian region.

2. *Burma*.—Several falls of rain were reported from the north of the province and from South Tenasserim.

North-east India, including Orissa.—Rainfall was nearly general in Lower Bengal on the 13th, and fairly general in Assam on the 14th and 18th.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—Weather was dry.

North-west India.—Nearly general precipitation occurred on the 17th in Kashmir and the adjoining districts of the North-West Frontier Province and the North Punjab hills.

The Peninsula.—Dry weather prevailed.

3. The chief daily amounts were as follows :—

March 13th, Victoria Point 1·82", Chittagong 1·49" and Narayanganj 0·99".

" 14th, Bhamo 0·77" and Cox's Bazar 1·58".

" 17th, Sonamarg 1·75", Dras 1·22", Skardu 1·02", and Murree and Rawalpindi each 0·88".

4. The precipitation of the past six days was 20 per cent. or more in excess in Bengal and Kashmir, and was within 20 per cent. of the normal in Upper Burma, Assam and Orissa. It was 20 per cent. or more in defect in the rest of the country with the exception of the following divisions where dry weather is a normal feature at this time of year; Rajputana, Gujarat, Central India West, Berar, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan and the Madras Deccan.

The seasonal rainfall up to date is 20 per cent. or more in excess in Upper Burma, Assam, Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, the United Provinces, Baluchistan and the Central Provinces East. It is within 20 per cent. of the normal in Lower Burma, the Punjab, Kashmir, Sind, Central India East, the Central Provinces West and Malabar; and is 20 per cent. or more in defect elsewhere.

Division.	RAINFALL DATA FOR 6 DAYS ENDING ON 19TH MARCH 1913.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 29TH NOVEMBER 1912 TO 19TH MARCH 1913.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall of season to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	SEASONAL PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL.	
							This week.	Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands	0	0.1	-0.1	3.5	10.2	- 6.7	- 66	- 65
Lower Burma	0	0.2	-0.2	1.3	1.4	- 0.1	- 7	+ 8
Upper Burma	0.1	0.1	0	1.2	0.9	+ 0.3	+ 33	+ 37
Assam	0.5	0.6	-0.1	6.4	4.1	+ 2.3	+ 56	+ 69
Bengal	0.4	0.3	+0.1	3.9	2.3	+ 1.7	+ 77	+ 79
Orissa	0.2	0.2	0	3.7	2.6	+ 1.1	+ 42	+ 43
Chota Nagpur	0	0.2	-0.2	3.3	3.3	+ 5.0	+152	+163
Bihar	0	0.1	-0.1	2.4	1.6	+ 0.8	+ 50	+ 60
United Provinces, East	0	0.1	-0.1	2.5	1.9	+ 0.6	+ 32	+ 39
United Provinces, West	0	0.1	-0.1	4.1	3.1	+ 1.0	+ 32	+ 37
Punjab, East and North	0.1	0.2	-0.1	3.5	4.2	- 0.7	- 17	- 15
Punjab, South-west	0	0.1	-0.1	2.0	2.0	0	0	+ 15
Kashmir	1.0	0.6	+0.4	9.0	9.7	- 0.7	- 7	- 12
N.-W. Frontier Province	0.1	0.4	-0.3	2.2	3.6	- 1.4	- 39	- 34
Baluchistan	0	0.4	-0.4	6.7	5.2	+ 1.5	+ 29	+ 40
Sind	0	0.1	-0.1	1.0	1.0	0	0	+ 11
Rajputana, West	0	0	0	0.3	0.9	- 0.6	- 67	- 67
Rajputana, East	0	0	0	0.2	1.1	- 0.9	- 82	- 82
Gujarat	0	0	0	0	0.1	- 0.1	-100	-100
Central India, West	0	0	0	0	0.5	- 0.5	-100	-100
Central India, East	0	0.1	-0.1	2.4	2.3	+ 0.1	+ 4	+ 0
Berar	0	0	0	0.4	1.5	- 1.4	- 93	- 93
Central Provinces, West	0	0.1	-0.1	1.6	1.7	- 0.1	- 6	0
Central Provinces, East	0	0.3	-0.3	4.9	2.4	+ 2.5	+104	+133
Konkan	0	0	0	0	0.2	- 0.2	-100	-100
Bombay Deccan	0	0	0	0	0.5	- 0.5	-100	-100
Hyderabad, North	0	0.1	-0.1	0.3	0.9	- 0.6	- 67	- 68
Hyderabad, South	0	0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.9	- 0.8	- 89	- 87
Mysore	0	0.1	-0.1	0	1.2	- 1.2	-100	-100
Malabar	0	0.3	-0.3	2.9	2.9	0	0	+ 12
Madras, South-east	0	0.2	-0.2	2.9	7.2	- 4.3	- 60	- 59
Madras Deccan	0	0	0	0	1.0	- 1.0	-100	-100
Madras Coast, North	0	0.1	-0.1	0.3	2.9	- 2.6	- 90	- 80

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 15th March 1913.

Burma.—Rain fell in the northern districts of the Province. Threshing and winnowing of winter rice have been completed in Lower Burma. Harvesting of miscellaneous crops is proceeding normally in Upper Burma. Crops are in good condition. Pasturage is ample. Farm stock is healthy. The price of unhusked rice is steady though a little above normal.

Assam.—Excessive rain fell in the Surma Valley. Elsewhere the fall was slight to moderate. Ploughing for early and late rice, pruning of tea and pressing of sugarcane are in progress. Gathering of mustard is nearing completion. The average price of common rice has risen by four per cent. Cattle disease is reported from four districts.

Bengal.—Light rain fell in all the districts of the Province, except in Murshidabad, Rajshahi, Jalpaiguri, Bogra and Malda. Prospects of standing crops are generally good. Preparation of fields for autumn paddy and jute is going on briskly and sowings have commenced in places. Harvesting of spring crops and pressing of sugarcane are in progress. The average price of common rice for the Province has risen by one per cent. as compared with that of the previous week. Cattle disease is reported from Khulna and from parts of Dinajpur, Malda, Mymensingh and Tippera.

Bihar and Orissa.—Light and scattered showers fell in parts of Bihar and Orissa. There was no rain in Chota Nagpur. Harvesting of spring crops and pressing of sugarcane continue. Preparation of lands for the next season's crop and planting of sugarcane are in progress. The condition of standing spring crops and vegetables is good. The average price of common rice has risen slightly as compared with that of the previous week. The condition of cattle is on the whole good. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Agricultural prospects in the Feudatory States of Orissa are generally good.

United Provinces.—Rain fell in the hills. The western submontane districts received about half an inch and lesser falls occurred in the remaining submontane districts and in the north central tract. Elsewhere the week was practically rainless. Standing crops are generally reported to be doing well. Harvesting of spring crops is now general and sowing of extra crops and planting of sugarcane are in progress. Opium is being extracted. Fodder and water are everywhere sufficient. In Mirzapur there are 1,999 persons on test works and 10,882 on canal and water works. In the Benares State there are 2,196 persons on works and 2,490 in receipt of gratuitous relief. Cattle disease is widespread in Bundelkhand but continues to diminish elsewhere. Prices are steady with a slight upward tendency.

Punjab.—Light to moderate rain has fallen in many districts. The condition of irrigated spring crops is generally fair. Rape seed is being harvested. Sowings of extra spring crops and of sugarcane and cotton, and ploughings for autumn crops continue. Standing crops have been damaged seriously by floods in parts of Hissar and by hailstorm in parts of Shahpur. Cattle are generally healthy but fodder is insufficient in places. Prices remain high.

North-West Frontier Province.—Slight showers fell in Hazara and in parts of Peshawar. The weather is cool and at times cloudy. The condition of standing crops is generally good on irrigated and average on unirrigated areas. Sowings of sugarcane and extra spring crops are proceeding. The condition of cattle is good. The water supply is sufficient. Fodder is generally sufficient but scarce in Dera Ismail Khan. Prices are high but falling slightly in Dera Ismail Khan.

Jammu.—The rain during the week was good. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 10 to 16 and maize from 15 to 22 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is fair. Cattle disease of mild type prevails in the Riasi tahsil. Fodder is insufficient in some tahsils.

Kashmir.—It rained on two occasions during the week. Prices of maize and rice show a tendency to rise. Operations for spring crops continue. No damage has been done to crops. Fodder is ordinary. There is no disease among cattle.

Rajputana.—The weather during the week was pleasant. The rainfall, in cents, was :—Jaisalmer 43, Bikaner 65 to 143 and Bharatpur 33. Spring crops are being irrigated and harvesting has commenced in some places. Standing crops are in good condition and prospects are generally fair. Cattle are in good condition. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prices are generally high but falling. The opium crop in Kishangarh is doing well.

Central India.—The rainfall was partial in Gwalior. The weather was clear with high winds and cool nights. Harvesting of spring crops is in progress and the outturn is normal in Bhopal and good elsewhere. Cattle disease prevails in parts of Gwalior, Indore and Baghelkhand. The fodder supply is good. Prices are beginning to fall.

Central Provinces.—The weather has been clear. The days are getting warm but the nights and mornings are cold. Harvesting, threshing and winnowing of spring crops were in full swing. Water is adequate everywhere. Fodder is dear in Saugor, in the Sansar tahsil of Chhindwara and in Akola and Amraoti; both dear and scarce in Wardha and scarce in one taluka of Buldana. Agricultural stock is in good condition. Gram sold cheaper by 2 seers per rupee in Jubbulpore and Narsinghpur.

Feudatory States.—Prospects of spring crops are generally good. The price of *kodon* fell in Kawardha and that of wheat rose in Bastar by 2 and 4 seers per rupee respectively.

Bom y.—Slight rain fell during the week in parts of Larkana and Nawabshah. Standing crops are generally in good condition. Harvesting of spring crops is in progress. Cotton picking continues in parts of Gujarat, Satara, the Karnatak and Rewa Kantha. Preparation of lands for cultivation of autumn crops is generally in progress. The fodder supply is deficient in Ahmednagar. Agricultural stock is generally in good condition and sufficient except in parts of Cutch. The condition of stock is deteriorating in Ahmednagar. Drinking water is generally adequate except in parts of Ahmednagar, Sholapur and Bijapur. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of the Deccan and Bijapur. Prices are high but fluctuating. The public health is generally good. Grain stocks are sufficient.

*The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows :—*Distress is deepening in Ahmednagar. There is little wandering or emaciation yet. Two kitchens and six poor houses continue to give relief. People on relief are generally in good condition. The public health is generally good. Land revenue suspensions have been granted and *takavi* advanced freely for fodder and wells. Government grass finds ready sale. Measures for the improvement of the water supply from Government and Local Board grants continue. Charitable funds are being utilized for the relief of weavers and for five cattle kitchens. The numbers on gratuitous relief for the week ending the 15th March were :—Ahmednagar 17,488. Poona and Sholapur 1,026. Total 18,514.

Hyderabad.—No rain fell during the week. The spring crop is being harvested. The crop is in fair condition except in parts of the Aurangabad, Bir and Usmanabad districts. Late rice is being weeded and irrigated in parts and the crop is fair to good. Fodder is being imported into affected talukas of the Aurangabad and Bir districts. *Takavi* is being distributed and ordinary works have been increased. The daily average number of labourers employed on works during the week ending the 8th March was 9,995. The total number was 69,071. Cattle disease is reported in 8, fodder scarcity in 20 and water scarcity in 180 talukas. Prices :—Wheat 6½, coarse rice 5½ and *juar* 10½ seers per rupee. White *juar* is selling in Hyderabad City at 12 seers per rupee. The highest price in districts is 7 seers in Karimnagar and the lowest 17 seers in Adilabad.

Mysore.—Prices of food grains are generally steady. Markets are well supplied. Crops are in good condition. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are healthy except in parts. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—No rain fell during the week. Threshing of rice is almost completed. Prices of food grains are stationary. The public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—There was no rain during the week. Standing crops are fair to good. Harvesting of dry crops, paddy and sugarcane continues with outturn fair to normal. Sowings of dry crops and paddy are proceeding normally in parts. The condition of cattle is generally good. Fodder and water are generally sufficient. Prices show an upward tendency.

Statement showing the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts in which famine has been declared

Name of Province or State.	PRECEDING WEEK (REVISED).			PRESENT WEEK.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>British Provinces.</i>							
Bombay	17,798	17,798	...	18,514	18,514	+721

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Statement showing the number of persons on relief works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in the Districts of British Provinces and in Native States affected by famine or scarcity in India.

For the week ending 8th March 1913.

No.	Name of district or State.	AREA UNDER FAMINE RELIEF.						TRACTS UNDER OBSERVATION AND TEST.		
		Area affected in square miles.	Estimated population of area in column 3.	Number of persons employed on relief works.	NUMBER OF PERSONS ON GRATUITOUS AND SPECIAL RELIEF.		Grand total on relief.	Number of persons on test works.	Number of persons in receipt of gratuitous relief.	
					Dependants of relief workers relieved on works.	Relieved in villages, kitchens, poor-houses, etc.				Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	<i>Districts.</i>				BOMBAY.					
1	Ahmednagar	6,024	866,000	...	.....	17,793	17,793	17,793	...	...
2	Poona	(Not given).		...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	51
3	Sholapur	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	975
	Total Bombay	6,024	866,000	...	.....	17,793	17,793	17,793	...	1,026
					UNITED PROVINCES.					
1	Mirzapur	(Not given)		...	.....	.....	.....	...	1,868	...
	<i>Native States.</i>									
1	Chakia district of the Benares State.	Disto		1,639	2,490
	Total United Provinces.	3,522	2,490

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PLAGUE.

Delhi, the 20th March 1913.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 15th March 1913 is published for general information:—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50 000 or more inhabitants and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI	{	Delhi City	2*	2*
		Delhi-Rural area	29	14
		TOTAL	31	16
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Northern	Bombay City	124	103
		Ahmedabad City . . . . .	...	...
		Ahmedabad District . . . . .	...	...
		Broach Port . . . . .	...	...
		Broach District . . . . .	...	...
		Kaira " . . . . .	...	...
		Mahi Kantha Agency . . . . .	...	...
		Palanpur " . . . . .	...	...
		Rewa Kantha " . . . . .	...	...
		Bulsar Port . . . . .	...	...
		Surat Town and Port . . . . .	...	...
		Rander Port . . . . .	...	...
		Surat District	32	17
		Surat Agency . . . . .	...	...
		Bhiwandi Port	4	4
		Bandra "	9	8
		Mahim " . . . . .	...	...
		Bassein " . . . . .	...	...
		Sanjan " . . . . .	...	...
		Thana " . . . . .	...	...
		Chirav " . . . . .	...	...
		Chinchani " . . . . .	...	2
		Tarapur " . . . . .	...	...
		Ghiwall " . . . . .	...	1
		Joo " . . . . .	...	...
		Thana District . . . . .	...	...
	Central	Ahmednagar District	1	1
		West Khandesh . . . . .	...	...
		East Khandesh District . . . . .	...	3
		Nasik District . . . . .	...	...
		Poona City	12	9
		Poona District	6	6
		Satara "	13	6
		Sholapur Town . . . . .	...	...
		Sholapur District . . . . .	...	...

* Imported.

In the return for the week ending 8th March 1913 against the Satara district read 27 and 23 deaths for nil.

Presidency or Province.	Districts.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Southern	Panvel Port . . . . .	...	...
		Alibag "	7	7
		Kolaba District	8	8
		Vengurla Port . . . . .	...	...
		Ratnagiri District	3	1
		Belgaum "	68	47
		Hubli Town	20	4
		Dharwar District	28	20
		Kanara " . . . . .	...	...
		Bijapur "	19	11
		Bijapur Agency . . . . .	...	...
		Savantvadi State . . . . .	...	...
	Sind	Karachi Town and Port	6	6
		Karachi District . . . . .	...	...
		Sukkur " . . . . .	...	...
		Larkana " . . . . .	...	...
	Political Charge	Baroda State	4(a)	3(a)
		Cutch "	26	24
		Porbandar Port . . . . .	...	...
		Kathiawar Agency	4	2
		Kolhapur and Southern Maratha Country	60	45
		Satara Agency . . . . .	...	...
		Savanur State . . . . .	...	...
		Sholapur Agency . . . . .	...	...
		Akalkot State . . . . .	...	...
		Janjira "	18	18
		Murud Port . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL	475	351
MADRAS PRESIDENCY	...	Anantapur District	10	8
		North Arcot "	86 (e)	78 (c)
		Bellary Town . . . . .	...	...
		Bellary Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Bellary District	7 (b)	6 (b)
		Mangalore Town and Port	12	11
		South Canara District	1 (b)	1 (b)
		Tanjore District . . . . .	...	...
		Chittoor " . . . . .	...	...
		Coimbatore Town	4 (d)	3 (d)
		Coimbatore District	28	28 (b)
		Cuddapah "	2	1
		Ganjam " . . . . .	...	...
		Godavari " . . . . .	...	...
		Visagapatam "	1 (b)	1 (b)
		The Nilgiris " . . . . .	...	...
		Malabar " . . . . .	...	...
		Salem "	8	3
		TOTAL	149	180

(a) Between the 8th and the 15th March 1913.

(b) One imported. (c) Two imported (d) Three imported. (e) Four imported.

In the return for the week ending 8th March 1913 against Cutch State read 48 cases 44 deaths for nil.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BENGAL	Bardwan	Bardwan District	2	...
		Birbhum	15(a)	...
		Bankura . . . . .	...	...
		Hooghly District . . . . .	...	...
		Howrah Town . . . . .	...	...
		Howrah District . . . . .	...	...
	Presidency	24 Parganahs	5	5
		Calcutta	35	36
	Dacca	Dacca Town . . . . .	...	...
		Dacca District . . . . .	...	...
		Mymensingh District . . . . .	...	...
		Faridpur District . . . . .	...	...
	Chittagong	Noakhali District . . . . .	...	...
	Rajshahi	Jalpaiguri District . . . . .	...	...
		Pabna District . . . . .	...	...
	TOTAL		43	41
SINDH AND ORISSA	Patna	Patna Town	20	16
		Patna District	840	257
		Gaya Town	28	28
		" District	59	20
		Shahabad District	476	361
	Tirhut	Saran District	649	608
		Muzaffarpur District	178	178
		Darbhanga District	178	156
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr Town . . . . .	...	...
		Monghyr District	419	453
		Bhagalpur Town	6	3
		Bhagalpur District	20	18
		Champan "	33	28
		Southal Parganas	4	4
	TOTAL		2,410	2,124
UNDED PROVINCES	Meerut	Shaharanpur City	1	3
		Shaharanpur District	55	38
		Muzaffarnagar "	197	197
		Meerut City	64	58
		Meerut District	141	101
		Bulandshahr District	8	7
	Agra	Muttra District	63	47
		Mainpuri "	14	14
		Etah "	25	23

(a) One imported.

The following corrections should be made in the return for the week ending 8th March 1918:—

Muzaffarpur District read 180 deaths for 80 deaths.

Champan district read 30 cases for 26 cases.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
UNITED PROVINCES	Ahoil-khand	Baroilly City	33	32
		Baroilly District	33	33
		Bijnor "	6	5
		Budann " . . . . .	...	...
		Moradabad District	18	19
		Shahjahanpur City	20	18
		Shahjahanpur District	19	11
	Allahabad	Pilibhit "	2	2
		Farrukhabad City	8	3
		Farrukhabad District	77	73
		Etawah "	327	221
		Cawnpore City	19	19
		Cawnpore District	384	364
		Fatehpur "	105	103
	Jhansi	Allahabad City	6	6
		Allahabad District	135	123
		Jhansi City . . . . .	...	...
		Jhansi District	25	13
		Jalaun "	52	38
		Benares "	15	11
		Mirzapur City	78	52
	Benares	Mirzapur District	15	18
		Jaunpur "	243	243
		Ghazipur "	615	617
		Ballia "	383	466
		Gorakhpur District	751	460
		Basti "	257	201
		Azamgarh "	752	715
	Kumaun	Naini Tal District	3	12
		Garhwal " . . . . .	...	...
		Lucknow City	161	161
		Lucknow District	265	265
		Unao "	418	375
		Rao Bareilly "	306	238
		Sitapur "	10	9
	Fyzabad	Hardoi "	185	148
		Kheri "	40	21
		Fyzabad City	62	59
		Fyzabad District	181	130
		Gonda "	81	60
		Bahraich "	120	117
		Sultanpur "	93	83
	PUNJAB.	Partabgarh District	17	15
		Harra Banki "	347	320
		TOTAL	7,175	6,357
	Ambala	Hissar District	10	9
		Gurgaon "	225	217
		Rohtak "	116	77
		Karnal "	124	123
		Ambala	1	1

The following corrections should be made in the return for the week ending 8th March 1918 :—
 Shahjahanpur City read 13 deaths for 14 deaths.
 Etawah district read 364 cases for 346 cases.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Jullundur	Hoshiarpur District	24	24
		Jullundur "	28	18
		Ludhiana "	23	17
		Ferozepore "	15	6
	Lahore	Amritsar City	1	1
		Amritsar District . . . . .	...	...
		Gurdaspur "	38	22
		Sialkot "	20	20
	Rawalpindi	Gujranwala "	20	22
		Gujrat District	1	1
		Shahpur District . . . . .	...	...
		Jhelum "	23	12
	Multan	Rawalpindi District . . . . .	...	...
		Montgomery District . . . . .	...	...
		Jhang "	1	1
		Muzaffargarh " . . . . .	...	...
	Patna	Patna City . . . . .	...	...
		Patna State	62	48
		Kapurthala State	21	10
		Jind State	11	18
	Kalsia	Nabha " . . . . .	...	...
		Patandi State	7	8
		Kalsia State . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL	771	649
BURMA	Pegu	Rangoon Town	20	28
		Insein District	1	1
		Tharrawaddy District	4	3
		Pegu District	17	...
	Irrawaddy	Prome "	15	12
		Bassein Town	7	7
		Bassein District	2	2
		Hensada . . . . .	...	...
	Tennasserim	Myaungmya District	4	...
		Maubin "	15	14
		Pyapon "	17	17
		Amherst "	1	1
	Magwe	Toungoo District . . . . .	...	...
		Thaton " . . . . .	...	...
		Moulmein Town	18	17
		Thayetmyo District . . . . .	...	...
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town . . . . .	...	...
		Maymyo Town . . . . .	...	...
		Bhamo District	10	6
		Katha " . . . . .	...	...
	Meiktila	Meiktila District . . . . .	...	...
		Yamethin "	1	1
		Kyaukse " . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL	132	108

In the return for the week ending 8th March 1918 against Moulmein Town read 18 deaths for 30 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Nowgong . . . . .	...	...
		Indore City . . . . .	...	...
		Indore State . . . . .	...	...
		Indore Residency Bazaar . . . . .	...	...
		Ujjain City . . . . .	...	...
		Ujjain District . . . . .	...	...
		Gwalior State . . . . .	...	...
		Datia " . . . . .	...	...
		Burlam " . . . . .	...	...
		Mhow Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Dewas (Senior Branch) Town . . . . .	...	...
		Dewas State (Senior Branch) . . . . .	...	...
		Dewas State (Junior Branch) . . . . .	...	...
		Neemuch Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Piploda State . . . . .	...	...
		Jaora " . . . . .	...	...
		Dhar " . . . . .	...	...
		Bagli " . . . . .	...	...
		Sailana " . . . . .	...	...
		Jhabua " . . . . .	...	...
		Maunpur . . . . .	...	...
		Malwa State . . . . .	...	...
		Malwa Prant of Gwalior . . . . .	...	...
		Kurwal State . . . . .	...	...
		Rajgarh " . . . . .	...	...
		Sehore Agency Limits . . . . .	...	...
		Sehore Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Bhopal City . . . . .	...	...
		Bhopal State	4	2
		Rewa " . . . . .	...	...
		Nagode " . . . . .	...	...
		Maihar " . . . . .	...	...
		Barwani "	4	4
		Morar Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Sitaman State . . . . .	...	...
		Sohawal " . . . . .	...	...
		Narsingarh " . . . . .	...	...
		Orehha " . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL	8 (a)	6 (a)
RAJPU- TANA AND AJMER- MER- WARA	...	Chittor . . . . .	...	...
		Udaipur City . . . . .	...	...
		Jodhpur City . . . . .	...	...
		Marwar (Jodhpur) State . . . . .	...	...
		Jaipur City	28	22
		Jaipur State	55	51
		Dholpur City . . . . .	...	...

(a) For the week ending 8th March 1913.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
RAJPO- TANA AND AJMER- MEE- WARA	...	Tonk State . . . . .	...	...
		Tonk Pargana Nimbahera . . . . .	...	...
		Partabgarh Town . . . . .	...	...
		Partabgarh State . . . . .	...	...
		Kishangarh " . . . . .	...	...
		Beawar . . . . .	...	...
		Karauli City . . . . .	...	...
		Abu Road . . . . .	...	...
		Bharatpur City . . . . .	...	...
		Bharatpur State	32	64
		Ajmer Town . . . . .	...	...
		Shahpura Town . . . . .	...	...
		Sirohi State . . . . .	...	...
		Dungarpur . . . . .	...	...
TOTAL			171 (a)	141 (a)
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	Peshawar Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Dera Ismail Khan . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL		
KASHMIR	...	Mirpur District . . . . .	...	...
		Kathua " . . . . .	...	...
		Jammu Province	10	3
TOTAL			10	3
BALU- CHISTAN	...	Sonmiani . . . . .	...	...
		Hirok . . . . .	...	...
		Sibi . . . . .	...	...
		Fort Sandeman . . . . .	...	...
		Ormara (Las Bela State)
TOTAL		
GRAND TOTAL			11,693	10,098

(a) For the week ending 14th March 1918.

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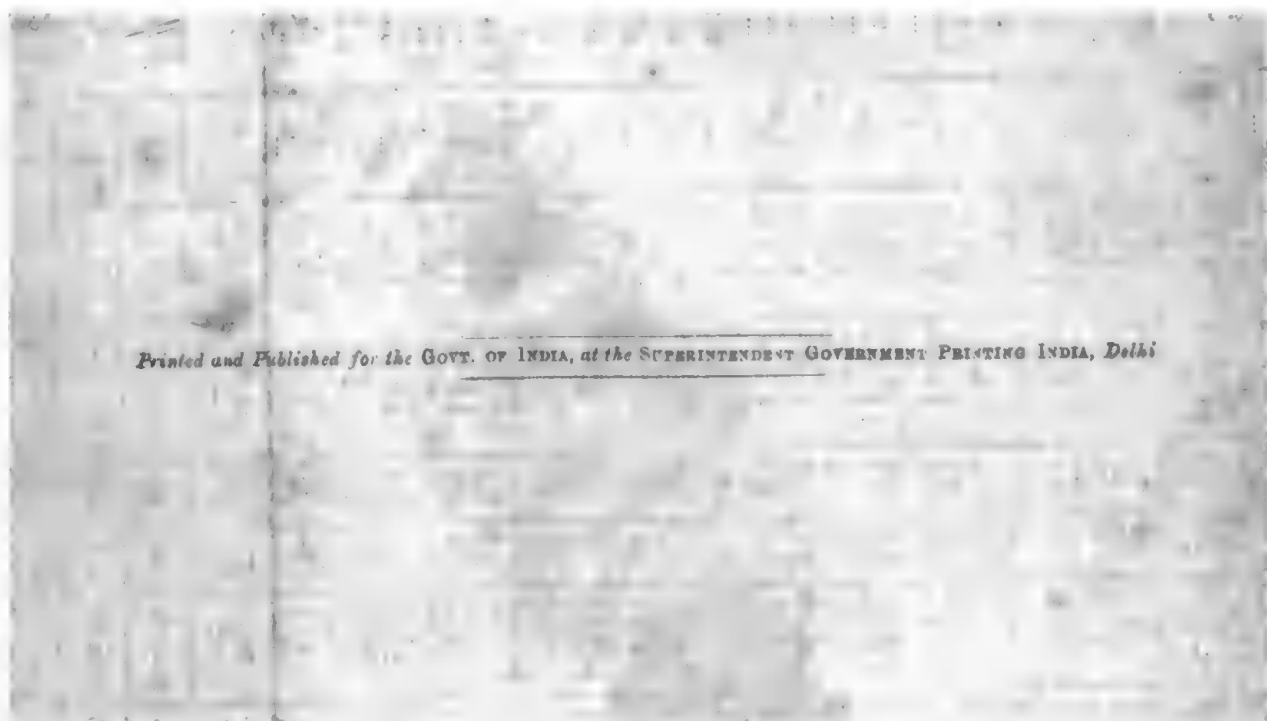
**Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian
Railways.**

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.
(RAILWAY BOARD.)**

Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

N.B.—As regards the figures in column *Total earnings*, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RAILWAYS.		RESULTS OF WORKING DURING 1ST HALF OF YEAR.										RESULTS OF WORKING FOR OFFICIAL YEAR.			
		AVERAGE EARNINGS PER MILE PER WEEK.		Mean mileage worked.		Total earnings for week ending.		Earnings per mile open for week.		Total earnings from 1st January to.		Increase.		Decrease.	
		During 1st half of 1912.	During official year 1911-12.	1912.	1913.	8th March 1912.	8th March 1913.	1912.	1913.	8th March 1912.	8th March 1913.	8th March 1912.	8th March 1913.	8th March 1912.	8th March 1913.
State and Guaranteed Railways.		Ra.	Ra.	Miles.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Rs.	Rs.
Bengal-Nagpur (including 2' 6" gauge lines)		313	287	2,495	2,405	8,73,950	8,97,000	350	360	78,87,871	80,87,000	1,99,129	3,24,03,170	54,97,830	3,79,01,000
Beawada Extension		372	320	21	21	7,029	8,300	335	395	71,424	72,300	876	3,19,830	35,150	3,55,000
Bombay, Baroda and Central India.		739	741	946	946	6,72,645	7,32,000	711	774	68,79,978	68,06,000	...	3,00,15,397	4,17,003	3,04,33,000
Eastern Bengal (including 3 3/4" and 2' 6" gauge lines)		382	415	1,534	1,570	6,16,504	7,13,000	402	454	61,48,363	65,68,000	4,19,638	3,04,60,710	22,57,290	3,27,28,000
East Indian		810	761	2,392	2,472	18,26,505	21,74,000	764	879	1,89,12,415	200,68,000	17,55,585	8,66,24,186	1,01,23,814	9,67,48,000
Great Indian Peninsula (including Indian Midland)		681	586	2,473	2,472	15,95,499	18,10,000	645	732	1,76,11,471	1,82,36,000	6,24,539	6,97,11,956	54,84,044	7,51,96,000
Agra-Delhi Chord		372	354	126	126	48,733	48,200	387	383	5,27,120	4,72,000	...	21,65,531	9,269	20,77,000
Bikaner-Kotha		102	85	40	40	3,365	3,500	84	87	37,130	33,100	4,030	1,64,731	8,96,685	1,74,000
Bhopal-Itarsi		499	454	57	57	27,350	37,000	430	649	2,68,109	3,92,000	1,23,891	12,51,315	...	16,47,000
Madras and Southern Mahratta (including 3 3/4" gauge lines)		282	252	3,685	2,535	7,50,943	7,70,000	231	298	61,88,159	67,90,000	3,01,841	3,13,86,837	19,26,163	3,39,13,000
North-Western (including 2' 6" gauge lines)		479	427	3,806	3,806	17,67,264	14,00,000	464	368	1,67,42,325	1,49,60,000	...	7,60,36,798	68,95,202	8,38,32,000
Oudh and Rohilkhand (including Cawnpore-Burhwal 3' 3 1/2" link)		325	295	1,579	1,602	4,87,854	4,60,000	349	287	44,23,792	42,66,000	...	1,97,06,771	28,67,229	2,25,74,000
Hardwar-Dehra		292	273	32	32	10,594	8,300	331	278	75,559	80,200	4,641	4,13,194	...	4,05,000
Assam-Bengal		146	141	790	895	1,26,611	1,48,000	160	184	11,80,911	12,76,000	95,689	53,45,214	7,48,786	60,94,000
Birma		313	267	1,545	1,545	5,16,265	6,71,000	338	370	52,28,412	55,11,000	2,82,588	1,95,32,819	10,11,181	2,05,44,000
Jodhpur-Hyderabad (British Section)		208	198	124	124	32,839	25,800	184	208	2,57,840	2,63,000	5,160	12,03,458	80,542	12,84,000
Lucknow-Bareilly		167	153	254	293	30,095	57,900	154	198	4,32,566	5,06,000	73,434	18,32,385	3,18,615	22,01,000
Mysore (including Kolar Gold Fields, 5' 6")		165	147	411	411	66,374	83,400	161	203	6,03,718	7,21,000	1,17,282	29,22,223	4,87,777	34,10,000
Rajputana-Malwa		363	317	1,828	1,828	6,43,255	6,01,000	352	329	63,58,070	59,83,000	...	2,74,21,536	19,00,461	2,90,22,000
South Indian (including 5' 6" and 2' 6" gauge lines)		379	350	1,398	1,398	5,02,898	5,28,000	860	378	47,45,351	48,76,000	1,30,649	2,37,42,291	17,92,709	2,55,35,000
Travancore Branch		141	139	108	108	13,547	14,800	125	132	1,36,921	1,42,000	5,079	7,33,875	41,125	7,75,000
Tirhoot		855	226	792	792	1,93,772	2,25,000	553	294	18,36,706	18,92,000	56,295	85,02,809	7,63,191	92,56,000
Jorhat (Provincially)		74	75	33	33	2,222	2,700	69	32	20,562	21,800	1,338	1,07,435	4,565	1,12,000
TOTAL		494	594	25,328	25,559	1,08,14,974	1,13,19,000	427	443	10,62,74,371	10,80,33,500	17,53,729	47,29,55,111	4,26,80,889	51,56,16,000





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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

**Rainfall summary for the eight days ending at 8 hrs. on
Thursday, the 27th March 1913, based on the Indian
Daily Weather Reports of the period.**

1. A few showers of rain occurred in Assam, east Bengal and Baluchistan, and light snow fell at one or two places in Kashmir. In all other parts of the country dry weather prevailed.

2. *Burma.*—Weather was dry.

North-east India, including Orissa.—Rain fell on the 19th at most places in Assam and at Narayanganj and Mymensingh, and on the 20th at Cherrapunji.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—There was no rain.

North-west India.—Light precipitation occurred at Sonamarg, Dras, Astor, Kalat and Pajjgur.

The Peninsula.—Dry weather prevailed.

3. The rainfall of the past eight days was 20 per cent. or more in defect everywhere, except in the following divisions where the absence of rainfall is a normal feature at this time of year: the United Provinces East, Sind, Rajputana, Gujarat, Central India West, the Konkan and the Madras Deccan.

The seasonal rainfall up to date is 20 per cent. or more in excess in Upper Burma, Assam, Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, the United Provinces, Baluchistan and the Central Provinces East. It is within 20 per cent. of the normal in the Punjab Southwest, Kashmir, Sind, Central India East, the Central Provinces West and Malabar, and is 20 per cent. or more in defect elsewhere.

Division.	RAINFALL DATA FOR 8 DAYS ENDING ON 27TH MARCH 1913.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 29TH NOVEMBER 1912 TO 27TH MARCH 1913.			SEASONAL PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL.	
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall of season to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	This week.	Last week.
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands	0	0.3	-0.3	3.5	10.5	- 7.0	- 67	- 66
Lower Burma	0	0.3	-0.3	1.8	1.7	- 0.4	- 24	- 7
Upper Burma	0	0.1	-0.1	1.2	1.0	+ 0.2	+ 20	+ 33
Assam	0.4	1.4	-1.0	6.8	5.5	+ 1.3	+ 24	+ 56
Bengal	0.1	0.5	-0.4	4.0	2.7	+ 1.3	+ 48	+ 55
Orissa	0	0.4	-0.4	3.7	3.0	+ 0.7	+ 23	+ 42
Chota Nagpur	0	0.3	-0.3	8.3	3.6	+ 4.7	+131	+152
Bihar	0	0.2	-0.2	2.4	1.8	+ 0.6	+ 33	+ 50
United Provinces, East	0	0	0	2.5	1.9	+ 0.6	+ 32	+ 32
United Provinces, West	0	0.1	-0.1	4.1	3.2	+ 0.9	+ 28	+ 32
Punjab, East and North	0	0.2	-0.2	3.5	4.4	- 0.9	- 20	- 17
Punjab, South-west	0	0.1	-0.1	2.0	2.1	- 0.1	- 5	0
Kashmir	0.2	1.4	-1.2	9.2	11.1	- 1.9	- 17	- 7
N.-W. Frontier Province	0	0.3	-0.3	2.2	3.9	- 1.7	- 44	- 30
Baluchistan	0.2	0.3	-0.1	6.0	5.5	+ 1.4	+ 25	+ 29
Sind	0	0	0	1.0	1.0	0	0	0
Rajputana, West	0	0	0	0.3	0.9	- 0.6	- 67	- 67
Rajputana, East	0	0	0	0.2	1.1	- 0.9	- 82	- 82
Gujarat	0	0	0	0	0.1	- 0.1	-100	-100
Central India, West	0	0	0	0	0.5	- 0.5	-100	-100
Central India, East	0	0.1	-0.1	2.4	2.4	0	0	+ 4
Berar	0	0.1	-0.1	0.1	1.6	- 1.5	- 94	- 93
Central Provinces, West	0	0.1	-0.1	1.6	1.8	- 0.2	- 11	- 6
Central Provinces, East	0	0.2	-0.2	4.9	2.6	+ 2.3	+ 88	+104
Konkan	0	0	0	0	0.2	- 0.2	-100	-100
Bombay Deccan	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.6	- 0.6	-100	-100
Hyderabad, North	0	0.1	-0.1	0.3	1.0	- 0.7	- 70	- 67
Hyderabad, South	0	0.1	-0.1	0.1	1.0	- 0.9	- 90	- 80
Mysore	0	0.1	-0.1	0	1.3	- 1.3	-100	-100
Malabar	0	0.4	-0.4	2.9	3.3	- 0.4	- 12	0
Madras, South-east	0	0.1	-0.1	2.9	7.3	- 4.4	- 60	- 60
Madras Deccan	0	0	0	0	1.0	- 1.0	-100	-100
Madras Coast, North	0	0.1	-0.1	0.3	3.0	- 2.7	- 90	- 90

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Dated 27th March 1913.

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Secretary to the Government of India

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 22nd March 1913.

Burma.—Light rain fell in the north of the Province. Island crops are being harvested under normal conditions. Pasturage is ample. Farm stock is healthy. The price of unhusked rice is steady though a little above normal.

Assam.—Slight rain fell in most districts. Ploughing for early rice and broadcast winter rice, pruning of tea and pressing of sugarcane are in progress. Sowing of early rice and jute continues in places. Gathering of mustard is finished. The average price of common rice has fallen by one per cent. Cattle disease is reported from two districts.

Bengal.—During the week light rain fell in places in the Rajshahi, Dacca and Chittagong divisions. Prospects of standing crops are generally good. Preparation of fields for autumn paddy and jute is going on briskly and sowings have commenced in places. Harvesting of spring crops and pressing of sugarcane are in progress. The average price of common rice for the Province has risen by about 7 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week. Cattle disease is reported from Khulna and from parts of Jessore, Burdwan, Malda, Mymensingh and Tippera.

Bihar and Orissa.—There was no rain during the week. The weather was generally seasonable. Harvesting of spring crops and preparation of lands for the next season's crops are in progress. Planting of sugarcane is going on. Pressing of sugarcane still continues in some districts. The condition of standing crops and vegetables is good. The average price of common rice is almost stationary as compared with that of the previous week. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. The condition of cattle is on the whole good. Agricultural prospects in the Feudatory States of Orissa are on the whole good.

United Provinces.—The week was rainless except in the hills. Harvesting of spring crops is now general throughout the Provinces. Extra crops are being sown, sugarcane planted and poppy lanced. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Fodder and water are everywhere adequate. In Mirzapur the numbers on test works have fallen to 1,366 and those on canal and water works to 10,040. In the Benares State the numbers on works have fallen to 1,911 and there are still 2,490 persons on gratuitous relief. Cattle disease prevails in Bundelkhand but elsewhere continues to diminish. The level of prices shows a slight downward tendency.

Punjab.—The weather during the week was generally dry. The condition of irrigated spring crops is average to good and of unirrigated crops generally fair. Spring crops are being harvested in the Ambala division. Sowing of extra spring crops and of sugarcane and cotton and ploughing for autumn crops continue. Cattle are generally healthy but fodder is insufficient in places. Prices remain high.

North-West Frontier Province.—The week was rainless except for slight showers in Hazara. The weather was cool and at times cloudy. The condition of standing irrigated crops is generally good and of unirrigated crops average. Sowings of sugarcane and extra spring crops continue. The fodder and water-supply is generally sufficient. Prices are high but stationary.

Jammu.—The rain during the week was good. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 9½ to 15 and maize from 12 to 18 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is fair. Cattle disease of mild type prevails in the Jammu tahsil. Fodder is insufficient in some tahsils.

Kashmir.—It rained once during the week. Operations for spring and autumn crops are in progress except in the submontane tracts which are under snow. The state of standing crops is fairly good. No damage has been done to crops. Agricultural stock is in fair condition. Pasturage, fodder and water supplies are sufficient. Prices of food grains are rising.

Rajputana.—The weather during the week was pleasant. The rainfall in Jaisalmer was 36 cents. Spring crops are being irrigated. Harvesting has commenced in some places. Standing crops are in good condition. Prospects are generally fair. Cattle are in good condition. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prices are generally high but falling.

Central India.—There was no rain during the week. The weather is clear with hot days and cool nights. Harvesting of spring crops is in progress. Land is being ploughed for autumn sowings in Bhopawar. The outturn of spring crops is normal in Bhopal and good elsewhere. Cattle disease prevails in parts of Gwalior, Bundelkhand and Bhopawar. The supply of fodder is good. Prices are normal in Bhopal, above normal in Baghelkhand and falling elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The days are warm but the nights and mornings continue to be cool. Harvesting of spring crops has been practically completed in the Berar districts but is in progress elsewhere. Threshing continues in eight districts. Prospects are favourable. Fodder is still dear in the Sausar tahsil of the Chhindwara district and in Akola and Amraoti; both dear and scarce in Saugor and Wardha and scarce in the Mekhar taluka of Buldana. Cattle are in good condition. The supply of water is sufficient. Prices of staple food grains were fairly steady.

Federatory States.—Spring crops are in good condition. Variations in prices are insignificant.

Bombay.—Standing spring crops are in good condition except in parts of the Upper Sind Frontier where they have been damaged slightly by adverse winds. Harvesting is in progress. Cotton picking continues in parts of Gujarat, Satara, the Karnatak and Rewa Kantha. Preparation of lands for autumn cultivation is generally in progress. The fodder supply is deficient in parts of Hyderabad and Ahmednagar. Agricultural stock is generally in good condition and sufficient except in parts of Cutch. The condition of stock is deteriorating in Ahmednagar. Drinking water is generally adequate except in parts of Ahmednagar, Sholapur and Bijapur. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of the Deccan and Bijapur. Prices are high but steady. The public health is generally good. Grain stocks are sufficient.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows:—Distress is deepening in Ahmednagar. There is little wandering or emaciation yet. Three kitchens and six poor houses continue to give relief. People on relief are generally in fair condition. The public health is generally good. Land revenue suspensions have been granted and *takavi* advanced freely for fodder and wells. Government grass is readily sold. Measures for the improvement of the water supply from Government and Local Board grants continue. Charitable funds are being utilized for the relief of weavers and for five cattle kitchens. The numbers on gratuitous relief for the week ending the 22nd March were:—Ahmednagar 16,375. Poona and Sholapur 1,026. Total 17,401.

Hyderabad.—There was no rain during the week. Harvesting of spring crops is nearing completion and castor seed is being plucked in a few parts. Late rice is being weeded and irrigated in parts. The crop is fair throughout. Fodder is being imported into the affected talukas of the Aurangabad and Bir districts. *Takavi* has been distributed and ordinary works increased. The daily average number of labourers during the week ending the 15th March was 9,456. The total number was 66,191. Fodder scarcity is reported in 21, water scarcity in 19 and cattle disease in 8 talukas. Prices:—Wheat 6½, coarse rice 5½ and *juar* 10½ seers per rupee. White *juar* is selling in Hyderabad City at 12 seers per rupee. The highest price in districts is 7 seers in Karimnagar and the lowest 17 seers in Adilabad.

Mysore.—Prices of food grains are steady. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—There was no rain during the week. Threshing of rice is completed. Prices of food grains are stationary. The public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—No rain fell during the week. Standing crops are fair to good. Harvesting of dry crops, paddy and sugarcane is proceeding with outturn fair to normal. Sowings of dry crops and paddy are proceeding normally in parts. The condition of cattle is generally good. Fodder and water are generally sufficient. Prices show an upward tendency.

Statement showing the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts in which famine has been declared.

Name of Province or State.	PRECEDING WEEK (REVISED).			PRESENT WEEK.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>British Provinces.</i>							
Bombay	17,488	17,488	...	16,375	16,375	-1,113

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Statement showing the number of persons on relief works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in the Districts of British Provinces and in Native States affected by famine or scarcity in India.

For the week ending 15th March 1913.

No.	Name of district or State.	AREA UNDER FAMINE RELIEF.							TRACTS UNDER OBSERVATION AND TEST.	
		Area affected in square miles.	Estimated population of area in column 3.	Number of persons employed on relief works.	NUMBER OF PERSONS ON GRATUITOUS AND SPECIAL RELIEF.			Grand total on relief.	Number of persons on test works.	Number of persons in receipt of gratuitous relief.
					Dependants of relief workers relieved on works.	Relieved in villages, kitchens, poor-houses, etc.	Total.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	<i>Districts.</i>				BOMBAY.					
1	Ahmednagar	6,024	866,000	...	.....	17,488	17,488	17,488	...	...
2	Poona	(Not given)	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	51
3	Sholapur	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	975
	Total Bombay	6,024	866,000	...	.....	17,488	17,488	17,488	...	1,026
					UNITED PROVINCES.					
1	Mirzapur	(Not given)	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	1,999	...
	<i>Native States.</i>									
1	Chakia district of the Benares State.	Ditto	2,196	2,490
	Total United Provinces.	4,195	2,490

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

TARIFF VALUATION OF SUGAR.

The following statement shows in respect of each of the descriptions of sugar distinguished in the Tariff Schedule IV (excepting molasses and all other kinds of sugar), *firstly*, the total imports into India in the month of February, 1913, and the average value per cwt. as calculated on the returns received from the Customs Houses; and, *secondly*, a running total showing the total imports into India since the beginning of the year (1st October to 30th September), and the average net value per cwt. so far established. It is published in conformity with the procedure laid down in Customs Circular No. V of 1911 in order to enable merchants to compute the probable rate of duty for the year 1914:—

Description of sugar.	IMPORTED DURING THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1913.		IMPORTED SINCE 1st OCTOBER, 1912. |	
	Quantity.	Average net value per cwt.	Quantity.	Average net value per cwt.
	Cwt.	R a.	Cwt.	R a.
Sugar, crystallised, beet	340,525	9 8	7,25,057	9 12
" and soft, refined in China	26	15 4	9,834	11 0
" " from Java, 23 Dutch Standard and above.	805,638	9 12	2,673,635	9 12
" " from Java, 16 to 22 Dutch Standard.	83,562	9 8	1,405,907	9 0
" " from Java, 15 Dutch Standard and under.	45,054	8 12
" " from Mauritius equal to 16 Dutch Standard and over.	273,559	9 4	1,716,998	9 4

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R. E. ENTHOVEN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

CALCUTTA ;
The 25th March 1913.

**WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES IN THE SECOND HALF OF
FEBRUARY 1913 OF:**

RICE
WHEAT AND FLOUR
BARLEY
JAWAR
BAJRA
RAGI
KANGNI
MAIZE
GRAM

ARHAR DÁL
OATS
COTTON SEED
LINSSEED
MUSTARD AND RAPSEED
SESAMUM (*Til* or *jinjili*)
GHI
SUGAR, RAW (*Gúr*)
SALT

TOBACCO LEAF
TURMERIC
GRASS AND STRAW
JAWAR STALKS
BHUSA (WHITE)
BRAN
SHEEP AND BULLOCKS
KEROSENE OIL

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF FEBRUARY

DISTRICTS	RICE, UNHUSKED		RICE, HUSKED		WHEAT		FLOUR (WHEAT)		BARLEY		JAWAR		BAJRA	
	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912
Burma*														
Tenasserim—														
Mergui . . .	...	...	44.14	50.39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy . . .	...	...	38.86	39.26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst . . .	...	...	45.71	42.95	55.65	55.65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—														
Rangoon . . .	...	...	...	49.54	...	36.78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin . . .	...	...	37.21	51.61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein . . .	...	...	41.44	41.44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—														
Henzada . . .	...	...	38.79	55.17	76.19	58.14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo . . .	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—														
Mandalay . . .	...	...	38.79	45.71	41.83	36.57	...	...	...	...	22.88	22.88	...	...
Pakokku . . .	...	...	48.85	48.85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aran—														
Akyab . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam*														
Burma—														
Ba'aganj (Sylhet) . . .	20.62	20	36.25	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—														
Goalakra . . .	22.5	15	41.25	27.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati . . .	20	16.25	37.5	33.75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal*														
Eastern—														
Chittagong . . .	20	...	35	37.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca . . .	...	...	45	38.75	42.5	37.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca—														
Calcutta . . .	...	...	51.25	46.25	85	41.25	...	...	30	32.5	30	32.5	28.75	30
Western—														
Bardwan . . .	...	...	48.75	42.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapur . . .	...	...	38.75	36.25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—														
Pabna . . .	20.69	19.69	46.25	32.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur . . .	22.5	15	45	38.12	40	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa*														
Bihar, north—														
Bhagalpur . . .	...	...	45.62	35	40	35	...	...	25	25	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur . . .	...	...	50	40	40	36.25	...	...	26.56	23.19	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—														
Patna . . .	...	...	41.87	30.62	38.12	28.44	...	...	28.75	30	25	30	30	30
Orissa—														
Cuttack . . .	...	...	3.07	35.31	38.07	33.85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Provinces*														
(a) Agra—														
Eastern—														
Banars . . .	24.53	20.36	49.48	45.68	33.12	33.12	39.32	39.63	26.02	24.53	24.53	...	28.23	...
Central—														
Cawnpore . . .	23.75	25.78	45	42.19	40	34.06	47.5	39.01	25.62	24.22	28.75	21.04	27.5	25.78
Jhansi . . .	...	...	58.75	48.12	37.19	34.74	...	...	25	23.85	24.06	25	...	28.75
Western—														
Meerut . . .	...	...	57.19	47.08	36.41	33.28	40	36.41	27.66	25	26.56	...	27.66	...
Agra . . .	53.33	47.08	57.24	58.83	38.12	33.33	45.68	41.25	25	25.78	24.27	24.22	25	29.58
Submontane, west—														
Shahjahanpur . . .	26.56	22.5	60	...	34.37	30	33.28	...	24.06	23.75	22.5	21.25	22.61	23.75
(b) Oude—														
Southern—														
Lucknow . . .	...	...	44.43	42.08	35.31	33.33	42.08	41.09	24.22	25	20	21.04	22.66	24.22
Northern—														
Fyzabad . . .	23.44	22.5	48.12	44.74	35.16	33.12	...	...	23.59	21.87	19.87	...	25	...

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice
† Not reported yet.

figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

No.	MAIZE		GRAM		ARHAR DAL		OATS		COTTON SEED		LINSSEED		MUSTARD AND RAPESEED		DISTRICTS
	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	
															Burma--
															<i>Tenasserim--</i>
			61.54	57.14											Mergui
															Tavoy
			40.76	40.76	50	50									Moulmein and Amherst
															<i>Pegu (deltaic)--</i>
				33.16		48.12									Rangoon
			51.61	50	51.61	51.61									Mauhin
			45.89	40.76											Bassein
															<i>Pegu (inland)--</i>
			39.02	40	55.17	54.24									Henzada
															Toungoo
	20	20	28.07	25	51.61	43.84	55.65	58.18							<i>Upper Burma--</i>
			34.41	50											Mandalay
															Pakokku
			44.44	42.11	57.14	50									<i>Arakan--</i>
															Akyab
															Assam--
					52.5										<i>Burma--</i>
															Balaganj (Sylhet)
													55	55	<i>Brahmaputra--</i>
													50	57.5	Goalpara
															Gauhati
															Bengal--
					55	50					100		55	60	<i>Eastern--</i>
					42.5	42.75							60		Chittagong
															Dacca
	20	22.5	22.5	20	40	42.75	25	25			55	80	67.5	60	<i>Deltaic--</i>
															Calcutta
			30	30	40	42.5							58.75	65	<i>Western--</i>
															Bardwan
											52.5	70	65 and 70	65 and 75	Midnapur
					46.25						67.5		60		<i>Northern--</i>
					35	30							60	60	Pabna
															Rangpur
															Bihar and Orissa--
	21.25	22.5	26.25	25	40	36.25	25.62	21.25			55	85	43.75 and 52.5	55 and 57.5	<i>Bihar, north--</i>
	25	20	26.50	25	36.25	38.12	30.78	19.06							Bhagalpur
															Muzaffarpur
	21.25	20	25	18.75	33.12	29.58	26.25	20			55	100	60	52.5	<i>Bihar, south--</i>
															Patna
			35.94	38.75	47.08	33.75	33.75	27.06					76.15	76.15	<i>Orissa--</i>
															Cuttack
															United Provinces--
	22.08		27.34	22.71	34.27	32.6						86.25	60.36	56.3	<i>(a) AGR--</i>
															<i>Eastern--</i>
															Bonares
	22.5	21.04	26.25	21.61	40	27.55	22.5		20	24.22	55	76.2	55 and 65	50	<i>Central--</i>
		28.18	23.88	22.4											Cawnpore
															Jhansi
	25	22.19	26.56	22.81	33.08	33.28	26.56	25			57.19				<i>Western--</i>
	22.54		24.22	23.24	36.35	33.33	42.08		21.04	25	100		61.50	59.27	Meerut
															<i>Submontane, west--</i>
		18.75	24.37	20	30	28.75		30	30	30	66.25		57.19		Shahjahanpur
															<i>(b) OUDH--</i>
	18.18	20	22.60	22.24							58.33	72.71	53.33	53.33	<i>Southern--</i>
															Lucknow
	19.37	20.62	20.62	22.44	35.62	26.25									<i>Northern--</i>
															Fyzabad

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DISTRICTS	SESAMUM (Til or jinjit)		GHI		SUGAR, RAW (Gur)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF		TURMERIC		GRASS	
	1918	1912	1918	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1918	1912	1913	1912	1918	1912
Burma—														
<i>Tenasserim—</i>														
Mergul . . . . .	...	...	640	581-82	...	...	17-16	16-08	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy . . . . .	...	...	581-82	581-82	...	...	20-51	20-51	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst . . . . .	...	...	457-14	457-14	...	...	18-89	17-08	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Pegu (deltaic)—</i>														
Rangoon† . . . . .	...	...	...	533-38	...	...	...	18-29	...	...	...	...	...	...
Manbin . . . . .	...	...	581-82	533-38	...	...	22-86	21-77	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein . . . . .	...	...	492-31	492-31	...	...	22-86	22-86	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Pegu (inland)—</i>														
Honnada . . . . .	...	...	533-38	533-38	...	...	22-86	22-86	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yongoo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	24-81	24-81	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Upper Burma—</i>														
Mandalay . . . . .	...	...	533-38	457-14	...	...	22-81	21-48	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pakokko . . . . .	...	...	711-11	711-11	...	...	22-54	22-54	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Arakan—</i>														
Akyab . . . . .	...	...	533-38	533-38	...	...	30-77	30-77	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam—														
<i>Surma—</i>														
Bulganj (Sylhet) . . . . .	...	...	570	495	58-75	50-25	20-02	19-06	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Brahmaputra—</i>														
Gokipara . . . . .	...	...	480	450	57-5	65	20	21-25	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ganhati . . . . .	...	...	515	480	55	70	25	27-5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal—														
<i>Eastern—</i>														
Chittagong . . . . .	...	...	500	480	65	70	17-5	20	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca . . . . .	...	...	525	500	70	70	20	22-5	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Deltaic—</i>														
Calcutta	78-75	75	490	480	50	50	18-75	18-12	65	68-12	...	...	12-5	12-5
<i>Western—</i>														
Bardwan . . . . .	...	...	520	450	40	50	18-75	20	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapur . . . . .	...	...	{ 500 to 550 }	{ 440 to 520 }	25	110	20	20	{ 100 and 110 }	115	...	...	...	...
<i>Northern—</i>														
Pabna . . . . .	...	...	540	...	37-5	40-25	22-5	20	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur . . . . .	...	...	500	540	72-5	70	22-5	22-5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—														
<i>Bihar, north—</i>														
Bhagalpur	80	...	490	480	45	43-75	18-12	20	90	80	...	...	...	...
Musaffarpur . . . . .	...	...	457-5	457-5	38-28	36-25	20-04	20-04	266-56	160	...	...	...	...
<i>Bihar, south—</i>														
Patna	60	60	440	415	38-12	47-5	20-16	20-02	20	20	...	...	...	...
<i>Orissa—</i>														
Cuttack	76-15	85-78	507-5	431-25	45	58-83	16-25	18-12	90	101-87	...	...	5	5
United Provinces—														
(a) <i>Agra—</i>														
<i>Eastern—</i>														
Benares	68-75	73-33	533-38	488-91	44-01	45-83	23-7	22-24	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Central—</i>														
Cawnpore	80	100	478-83	426-67	45	50	18-75	17-76	170	72-5	90	105	...	...
Jhansi	62-81	64-01	492-5	433-85	50	61-56	20	20-78	...	...	...	...	4-53	5
<i>Western—</i>														
Meerut	80	...	533-38	476-25	40	47-08	17-84	17-84	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agra . . . . .	...	...	495-21	426-67	57-18	57-18	18-18	17-4	110	90	180	180	5-68	7-20
<i>Submontane, west—</i>														
Shahjahanpur	75	...	480	420	40	...	20	20	180	...	{ 120 and 130 }	{ 120 and 140 }	...	...
(b) <i>Other—</i>														
<i>Southern—</i>														
Lucknow . . . . .	...	...	515	447-5	38-38	50	20	20-94	...	...	120	115	5	4
<i>Northern—</i>														
Fyzabad . . . . .	...	...	515	450	30	34-37	20-47	20-94	...	...	...	...	...	...

† Not reported yet

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

STRAW		JAWAR STALKS		BHUSA (WHITE)		BEAN		SHEEP, PER SCORE		PLOUGH BULLOCKS, PER FAIR		KEROSENE OIL, PER TIN		DISTRICTS
1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	
...	22-86	10-34	...	...	...	...	2-37	2-5	Burma—
...	11-43	11-43	...	...	...	...	2	...	Tenasserim—
...	11-9	11-85	...	...	...	...	2	2	Mergui
...	Tavoy
...	Moulmein and
...	Amherst
...	1-75	Pegu (deltaic)—
...	Bangoon
...	11-43	17-16	...	...	...	...	1-75	1-75	Maubin
...	Basscin
...	1-62	Pegu (inland)—
...	1-94	1-94	Henzada
...	Toungoo
...	30-22	28-83	...	...	...	...	...	...	Upper Burma—
...	2	1-81	Mandalay
...	Pakokku
...	2-25	2-25	Arakan—
...	Akyab
...	Assam—
...	1-94	1-69	Surma—
...	2-31	2-25	Balangaj (Sylhet)
...	Brahmaputra—
...	2-06	2	Gaolpara
...	Gauhati
...	Bengal—
...	1-78	1-78	Eastern—
...	2-16	2-06	Chittagong
8-75	8-75	...	...	...	...	28-75	22-5	...	...	...	...	2-02	1-73	Dacca
4-87	5-81	...	...	...	...	22-5	32-5	...	...	...	...	1-94	1-94	Deltaic—
4-87	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2-12	1-97	Calcutta
...	2-06	2	Western—
...	2-25	2-06	Bardwan
...	Midnapur
...	Northern—
...	Patna
5-62	5-62	...	...	...	...	6-25	6-25	...	...	...	...	2-06	1-75	Rangpur
...	Bihar and Orissa—
...	1-97	1-61	Bihar, north—
...	6-72	5	15-94	15-94	...	...	...	...	2-08	1-94	Bhagalpur
...	0-87	5-62	20	14-37	...	...	...	...	2	2	Muzaffarpur
...	Bihar, south—
...	Patna
5-62	5-62	...	...	...	...	6-25	6-25	...	...	...	...	2-06	1-75	Orissa—
...	Cuttack
...	United Provinces—
...	7-97	...	25-83	21-09	...	...	...	...	2-75	2-75	(a) AGR—
...	5-62	...	20	18-18	{ 50 and 60 }	75	...	...	2-31	2-12	Eastern—
...	2-22	2-19	Benares
...	6-56	...	22-19	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	Central—
4-01	3-85	5	7-24	5-68	...	24-29	21-04	...	...	80	80	2-37	2-12	Cawnpore
...	6-87	...	30-62	30	{ 60 and 65 }	60 and 65	60 and 80	40 and 80	2-44	2-19	Jhansi
...	Western—
...	Meerut
...	Agre
...	Submontane, west—
...	Shahjahanpur
...	5-62	...	25	18-75	40	40	...	...	2-44	2-25	(b) OUDH—
...	Southern—
...	0-87	...	...	...	...	...	45	40	2-81	2	Lucknow
...	Northern—
...	Fyzabad

WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF FEBRUARY—continued

DISTRICTS	RICE, UNHUSKED		RICE, HUSKED		WHEAT		FLOUR (WHEAT)		BARLEY		JAWAR		BAJRA		RAGI
	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	
Rajputana—															
Eastern—															
Ajmer†	...	26.67	...	...	...	30.74	...	...	...	30.47	...	29.58	...	33.75	...
Punjab—															
Southern—															
Ferozpur	...	29.53	50	53.28	34.41	32.03	30.06	36.41	...	23.19	25.78	28.59	...	...	...
Central—															
Lahore	31.25	31.87	50	50	...	32.03	43.12	36.25	28.59	28.59	27.5	...	32.5	30	...
South-eastern—															
Delhi	30	30	66.87	61.56	37.5	33.28	43.12	40.94	35.78	27.5	23.19	27.5	27.5	33.75	...
Submontane—															
Amritsar	33.23	32.66	53.28	51.56	34.69	30	30.06	33.28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Rawalpindi	...	...	56.25	56.25	38.75	33.12	43.12	37.5	28.75	25	...	...	...	30	...
Western—															
Lyallpur	...	...	50	50	35	32.5	35.12	35.02	27.5	27.5	...	...	...	...	...
Multan	29.06	27.5	47.5	40.87	37.66	...	42.5	41.25	29.06	...	23.12	...	32.03	...	...
N.-W. Frontier Province—															
Peshawar	...	34.63	61.51	...	39.74	34.06	45.68	38.54	28.77	25.57	30.78	27.97	32.97	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—															
Karachi	...	...	51.25	53.12	42.81	30.69	...	...	33.5	32.81	30	32.66	33.59	33.25	...
Shikarpur	...	29.25	61.87	57.5	37.81	35	...	...	...	31.25	...	37.19	30	35	...
Quetta	...	...	...	...	40 to 43.12	33.12 to 40.47	...	32.5	65	35	27.5	32.5	35	...	...
Bombay—															
Deccan and Karnatak—															
Dharwar	...	...	...	...	30.58	...	...	...	...	...	27.55	...	...	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28.85	26.2	29.32	...	...
Poona	...	...	62.70	50.81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33.33	37.5	41.67	...
Khandesh and N.-E.															
Deccan—															
Ahmadnagar	...	...	57.53	58.12	...	36.04	...	...	...	...	35.73	29.11	33.18	...	...
Dhule	...	...	...	...	44.58	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37.97	...	...
Gujarat—															
Surat	...	...	...	...	...	45.42	...	...	...	...	...	38.91	...	39.63	...
Ahmadabad	...	...	50	51.25	33.75	35	...	...	30	23.75	31.25	30	31.25	35	...
Central Provinces—															
Western—															
Nagpur	...	...	42.25	32.75	34.37	33.37	47	44.5	...	...	34.12	23.25	...	...	...
Central—															
Jubbulpore	...	...	36.37	34.75	36.37	32	44.5	42.12	...	...	26.02	...	...	...	...
Eastern—															
Raipur	...	...	36	35	30	30.5	44.5	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Berar—															
Akola	...	...	43.5	38	30.5	30.75	...	...	...	...	25	25	...	...	...
Amratoti	...	...	44.75	39	35.75	35.62	...	...	...	...	25	23.5	...	...	...
Madras—															
South, central—															
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30.1	34.4	31.7	60.3	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33.2
Central—															
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28.5	23	...	...	...
Cuddapah	43.6	35.1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36.5	33.1	34	31	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, central—															
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25.4
East Coast, south—															
Madras	35.5	33.1	53.6	50.8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore	...	23.8	...	51	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31.1
Southern—															
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30.1	30.1	46.2	45	...
Mysore—															
Mysore	34	30	56	53	60	54	51.08	47.97	...	...	25	25	...	...	26
Bangalore	32	24	70	60	64	52	70.16	67.70	...	...	...	...	...	...	23

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of cleaned rice

† Not reported yet

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

RAGI	MAIZE		GRAM		ARHAR DAL		OATS		COTTON SEED		LINSSEED		MUSTARD AND RAPSEED		Districts
	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	
...	...	38-38	...	27-4	...	...	...	61-56	...	...	...	145-42	...	...	Rajputana— Eastern— Ajmer
...	30-25	22-19	36-25	21-09	...	...	...	...	26-72	26-72	...	...	...	...	Punjab— Southern— Ferozpur
...	...	25	27-5	24-22	38-12	38-12	31-25	38-28	35	25-78	66-25	87-66	55-62	47-97	Central— Lahore
...	22-5	28-12	25-78	21-09	35	33-28	...	...	25	25	100	100	60	60	South-east— Dellii
...	...	22-81	27-19	22-81	...	...	...	...	25-62	27-5	...	...	...	55	Submontane— Amritsar
...	26-87	25	28-12	23-12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	56-25	Northern— Rawalpindi
...	25-62 26-25	22-5 27-5	27-5 20-22	24-06 26-25	...	...	...	...	24-06 23-12	25 23-59	...	...	55-62	70-62	Western— Lyallpur Multan
...	30-05	26-77	30-05	25 20-52	38-38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	N.-W. Frontier Province— Peshawar Dera Ismael Khan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sind and Baluchistan— Karachi Shikarpur
...	...	...	28-75 31-25	22-59 29-37	...	...	...	...	...	27-03 26-75	...	...	61-25	...	Quetta
...	33-12	38-12	...	...	61-25	61-25	37-5	43-12	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bombay— Deccan and Karnatak— Dharwar Sholapur Poona
...	...	...	...	...	42-13	...	...	...	...	...	52-26	70-52	...	...	Khandesh and N.E. Deccan— Ahmadnagar Dhulia
...	...	...	...	31-41	...	...	...	...	27-5 24-37	23-75 20-51	...	...	...	...	Gujarat— Surat Ahmadabad
...	...	...	30	30	42-5	38-75	...	...	30	30-37	...	...	...	...	Central Provinces— Western— Nagpur
...	...	...	32-62	35-25	38-75	30-62	...	...	22-5	22-5	57-87	72-87	...	...	Central— Jubbulpore
...	...	...	28-62	20	36-37	40	40	...	22-25	23-5	50	72-75	47	47	Eastern— Raipur
...	...	...	30	22	34	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Berar— Akola Amraoti
...	...	...	32 26-25	31-25 26-25	41-5 34-12	30-25 26	...	...	20-75 20-62	20 20	60 61-5	88 98	...	...	Madras— South, central— Coimbatore Salom
32-2	...	...	53-6	44-3	34-9	34-9	...	...	36-8	36	...	...	...	...	Central— Bellary Cuddapah Karnal
...	...	...	36-9	36-9	...	25-2	...	...	23-1	31-8	...	...	...	...	East Coast, central— Nellore
26	...	...	...	...	34-1	27-1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	East Coast, south— Madras Tanjore Trichinopoly
...	...	...	35	32-9	...	...	44-6	43-1	32-4	30-8	...	...	...	...	Southern— Madura
25-3	50-9	60	Mysore— Mysore Bangalore
...	34	31-7	
25 38	24 27	22 25	54 58	44 50	68-59 ...	68-59	

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DISTRICTS	SESAMUM (Til or Jinjili)		GHI		SUGAR, RAW (Gur)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF		TURNERIC		GRASS	
	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912
Rajputana—														
Eastern—														
Ajmer† . . . . .	...	94.06	...	420.67	...	61.56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10.63
Punjab—														
Southern—														
Ferozpur . . . . .	...	...	533.28	470	53.28	57.19	16.72	16.72	80	88.91	133.28	160	...	...
Central—														
Lahore	80	80	538.75	470	48.75	50.37	14.84	14.84	66.25	80	145.47	130	...	...
South-eastern—														
Delhi	80	88.75	550	510	42.5	50	17.5	17.84	80	80	110	132.5	11.41	18.12
Submontane—														
Amritsar	75	80	520	450	42.08	61.56	14.37	14.37	...	...	...	130	...	...
Northern—														
Rawalpindi . . . . .	...	...	530	410	38.75	50	13.75	13.75	...	...	...	...	...	14.37
Western—														
Lyallpur . . . . .	...	...	510	435	42.5	52.5	15	15	80	80	...	...	10	10
Multan . . . . .	...	...	510	461.25	44.06	...	15.47	15.63	...	...	...	146.25	...	...
N.-W. Frontier Province—														
Peshawar . . . . .	...	...	492.29	433.91	40.22	64.68	15.57	15.86	114.27	94.11	...	133.33	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—														
Karachi . . . . .	...	...	565	510	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shikarpur . . . . .	...	...	555.62	470	...	...	...	...	41.87	...	...	...	...	...
Quetta . . . . .	...	...	{ 540 to 580 }	{ 485 to 535 }	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay—														
Deccan and Karnatak—														
Dharwar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	65.36	64.84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sholapur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	68.44	63.28	...	...	196.31	175.42	...	94.74	...	...
Poona . . . . .	...	...	575.42	463.18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Khandesh and N.-E.														
Deccan—														
Ahmadnagar . . . . .	...	...	483.33	425	...	70.83	...	...	...	...	103.33	...	...	...
Dhulia . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gujarat—														
Surat . . . . .	...	...	551.35	475.08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmadabad . . . . .	...	...	600	430	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces—														
Western—														
Nagpur	86.02	82	683.37	500	...	...	23.37	23.37	100	83.37	100	120	10	7.5
Central—														
Jubbulpore	60.62	61.5	520	420	...	...	22.25	23.5	114.25	90	123.12	133.37	5.75	6.62
Eastern—														
Raipur . . . . .	...	...	590	450	...	...	20.5	...	190	140	95	125	...	...
Berar—														
Akola	81	76.25	533.25	385	...	...	19	20	105	98	...	...	...	...
Amraoti	83.37	75.75	520	450	...	...	20	19	200	148	...	...	8	10.
Madras—														
South, central—														
Coimbatore	98.1	89.4	487.9	487.8	51.2	52.9	22.4	21.9	...	...	73.6	75.8	...	...
Salem . . . . .	...	...	445.2	428.1	...	...	...	...	168.4	168.4	55.7	114.7	...	...
Central—														
Bellary	66.2	77.2	476.2	441.5	47.7	67.4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah . . . . .	...	...	400.5	427.8	...	...	...	...	...	...	52.7	82.4	...	...
Karnul . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	116.6	116.6	74.1	106.9	...	...
East Coast, central—														
Nellore . . . . .	...	...	450	368.6	...	...	15.7	15.7	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, south—														
Madras	79.1	74.1	493.8	493.8	50.4	47.6	12.8	12.5	148.2	131.7	61.8	78.8	...	...
Tanjore . . . . .	...	...	533.3	466.6	...	...	13.1	13.1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly . . . . .	...	...	574.4	641.0	...	...	17.6	17.6	123.4	107.1	...	...	...	...
Southern—														
Madura	87	84.2	675.7	540.5	...	...	...	...	106.8	106.8	...	...	...	...
Mysore—														
Mysore	80	66	505.73	423.59	68.54	68.54	...	...	205.08*	197.18*	120	120	3.05	2.02
Bangalore	72	72	514.37	411.41	55.68	60	...	...	240*	248.13*	154.27	171.41	5.88	5.88

* Includes octroi duty amounting to Rs. 108 per 10 maunds

† Not reported yet

The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

STRAW		JAWAR STALKS		BRUSA (WHITE)		BEAN		SHEEP, PER SCORE		PLOUGH BULLOCKS, PER PAIR		KEROSENE OIL, PER TIN		DISTRICTS
1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	
...	9-37	...	12-66	...	...	...	30-78	...	100	...	85	...	2-6	Rajputana— Eastern— Ajmer
...	...	6-71	...	6-09	...	...	...	90	90	150	150	2-47	2-37	Punjab— Southern— Ferozpur
...	9-37	...	27-5	22-19	140	160	170	160	2-5	2-37	Central— Lahore
...	...	8-75	20	10	...	22-5	21-56	80	80	150	150	2-17	2-12	South-eastern— Delhi
...	8-91	...	22-19	18-12	100	100	...	...	2-69	2-31	Submontane— Amritsar
...	16-25	...	...	20	90	90	120	100	2-25	2-12	Northern— Rawalpindi
...	8-75	...	22-5	25	100	100	140	140	2-56	2-44	Western— Lyallpur
...	22-81	...	...	...	...	2-58	2-44	Multan
...	N.-W. Frontier Province—
...	6-15	7-71	...	22-71	19-53	{ 60 to 100 }	{ 60 to 100 }	{ 60 to 200 }	{ 60 to 200 }	2-75	2-69	Peshawar
...	2-51	Dera Ismael Khan
...	8-12	...	17-81	16-87	...	...	...	...	2-09	1-91	Sind and Baluchistan—
...	7-5	7-5	25-31	26-87	{ 100 to 200 }	{ 100 to 200 }	...	...	2-39	2-22	Karachi Shikarpur
...	2-37	2-25	Quetta
...	Bombay—
...	2-34	...	Deccan and Karnatak—
...	2-08	1-98	Dharwar
...	2-22	2-05	Sholapur Poona
...	28-59	31-27	...	...	...	...	2-06	1-97	Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	2-34	2-12	Ahmadnagar Dhulia
...	23-75	22-5	...	...	...	...	2-45	2-19	Gujarat—
...	2-27	2-19	Surat Ahmadabad
...	...	26-62	13-37	...	...	...	...	50	50	100	100	2-1	1-87	Central Provinces—
...	Western— Nagpur
...	80	28-5	60	60	70	70	1-75	1-87	Central— Jubbulpore
...	2-25	...	Eastern— Raipur
...	...	17-5	16-5	...	...	33-37	33-37	90	80	57	50	2	1-87	Berar—
...	...	16	12-25	...	...	...	...	60	60	75	80	2-25	2-12	Akola Amratoti
...	...	3-2	2-6	...	...	115-2	109-5	...	...	60	50	2-35	2-13	Madras—
7-8	7-8	...	...	...	...	...	...	80†	80†	...	...	2-11	2	South, Central— Coimbatore
...	...	6-8	6-8	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	140	140	2-25	2-25	Salem
...	2-19	2	Central— Bellary
...	2-5	2-5	Cuddapah
3-6	3-6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1-87	1-59	Karnul
...	28-1	32-4	128-70†	98-75†	...	...	1-82	1-79	East Coast, central— Nellore
...	14-8	14-8	135†	130†	...	...	2-05	1-66	East Coast, south— Madras
...	33-8	36-7	...	...	...	...	2-41	2-26	Tanjore
15	12-0	...	...	...	...	25	16-0	...	...	40	40	2	2	Trichinopoly
3-65	2-92	4-43	3-65	...	...	36-72	36-72	80	80	100	100	2-75	2-25	Madura
5-88	5-88	33-8	33-8	160	160	{ 120 to 150 }	{ 120 to 150 }	2	2	Mysore— Mysore
...	Bangalore

* Superior quality

† Sheep or goats

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF FEBRUARY 1913

DISTRICTS	WHEAT		BARLEY		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU (<i>An-tropogon sorghum</i>)		BAJRA OR CUMBU (<i>Pennisetum typhoides</i>)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month
Burma—												
<i>Tenasserim—</i>												
Mergul . . . . .	...	...	...	...	8 18	8 18	7 12	7 12	...	...	...	...
Tavoy . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 9	10 11	...	...	...	...
Monleim and Amherst	6 13	6 13	...	...	8 2	8 2	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
<i>Pegu (deltaic)—</i>												
Pegu . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 6	9 11	10 12	10 6	...	...	...	...
Rangoon* . . . . .	...	7 4	...	...	8 1	8 1	8 —	8 12	...	...	...	...
Maubin . . . . .	...	...	...	...	8 9	8 1	10 12	10 —	...	...	...	...
Bassein . . . . .	...	...	...	...	8 18	8 13	8 12	8 12	...	...	...	...
<i>Pegu (inland)—</i>												
Tharawadi . . . . .	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...
Hennada	5 2	5 2	...	...	8 1	8 1	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Prome . . . . .	...	...	...	...	8 1	...	10 11	10 6	...	...	...	...
Tonngoo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	8 2	8 2	8 12	8 12	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	6 1	6 1	8 6	8 6	...	...	...	...
<i>Upper Burma—</i>												
Mandalay	7 12	7 12	...	...	9 6	9 1	9 13	9 5	...	...	...	...
Bhamo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	8 15	9 11	...	...	...	...
Pakokku . . . . .	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	7 12	7 12	17 14	17 14	...	...
Meiktila	15 2	15 2	...	...	7 —	6 14	8 2	7 15	15 —	15 —	...	...
<i>Arakan—</i>												
Sandoway	8 4	8 4	...	...	8 1	8 1	9 5	9 5	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpada	5 —	5 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Akyab . . . . .	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 —	9 8	9 —	...	...	...	...
Assam—												
<i>Surma—</i>												
Sylhet . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 —	10 —	10 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Cachar	8 —	8 —	...	...	7 8	8 —	10 12	11 10	...	...	...	...
<i>Hill tracts—</i>												
Khasi and Jaintia Hills	6 —	6 —	...	...	3 4	3 4	8 4	8 8	...	...	...	...
Garo Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	8 8	10 —	...	...	...	...
Manipur	8 —	8 —	...	...	18 —	18 —	20 —	20 —	...	...	...	...
Naga Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
<i>Brahmaputra—</i>												
Goalpara	12 —	10 —	...	...	5 —	4 8	8 8	9 —	...	...	...	...
Kamrup	7 12	8 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Darrang	6 —	6 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 8	...	...	...	...
Nowgong . . . . .	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	...	...
Sibsagar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur	7 —	7 —	...	...	4 8	5 —	8 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Bengal—												
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Chittagong . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 —	...	...	...	...
Noakhali . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Backerganj . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 4	...	...	...	...
Maimensingh	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Tippura . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	...	...	...	...
Dacca	9 —	9 —	16 —	16 —	...	...	8 12	9 6	...	...	...	...
<i>Deltaic—</i>												
Khulna . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
24 Parganas . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Howrah . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	10 12	10 12	12 12	12 12	...	...	7 6	7 8	11 —	11 —	12 8	12 8
Fogghly	7 8	7 8
Nadia (Krishnagarh)	12 5	12 5	8 8	8 5
Jessore	8 —	8 —	11 —	11 —	8 —	8 —
Faridpur	18 4	18 4	7 12	8 —

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MARUA OR RAGI (<i>Eleusine coracana</i>)		KANOHI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (<i>Setaria italica</i>)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (<i>Cicer arietinum</i>)		MAIZE (<i>Zea Mays</i>)		ARHAR DAL		SALT		Districts
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Burma—
...	9 5	9 5	...	...	7 9	7 9	17 12	17 12	Tenasserim—
...	10 11	10 11	...	...	6 14	6 14	18 13	18 13	Mergui
...	7 12	9 12	...	...	7 12	6 15	17 8	14 —	Tavoy
...	8 9	8 9	...	...	...	7 12	14 —	17 8	Moulmein and
...	9 8	11 2	...	...	8 13	8 13	14 —	14 —	Amherst
...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	17 —	17 —	Pegu (deltaic)—
...	9 11	9 11	...	...	8 8	8 8	14 4	14 —	Pegu
...	9 7	9 7	...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	Rangoon
...	8 4	8 4	18 4	18 4	5 13	5 13	14 —	14 —	Maubin
...	11 11	11 11	18 5	18 5	7 2	7 2	16 —	16 —	Bassein
...	10 12	10 12	...	...	5 9	5 9	11 6	11 6	Pegu (inland)—
...	10 5	10 5	19 12	19 12	7 8	7 8	17 12	17 12	Tharawadi
...	4 —	4 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	14 3	14 3	Henzada
...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	18 —	18 —	Prome
...	6 —	6 —	12 —	12 —	Toungoo
...	9 —	10 —	...	...	8 12	8 8	17 —	17 —	Thayetmyo
...	0 —	9 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Upper Burma—
...	7 4	7 4	10 —	10 —	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	Mandalay
...	6 —	6 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 —	10 —	Bhamo
...	4 —	4 —	20 —	20 —	4 —	4 —	10 —	10 —	Pakokku
...	6 —	6 —	...	...	5 4	5 4	10 —	10 —	Meiktila
...	6 —	6 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	Arakan—
...	10 —	10 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	18 —	17 —	Sandoway
...	10 —	10 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Kyaukpada
...	9 —	10 —	...	...	6 8	7 —	16 —	16 —	Akyab
...	0 —	9 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Assam—
...	9 —	9 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	Burma—
...	9 —	9 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	15 —	15 —	Sylhet
...	Cachar
...	7 4	7 4	10 —	10 —	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	Hill tracts—
...	6 —	6 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 —	10 —	Khasi and Jaintia
...	4 —	4 —	20 —	20 —	4 —	4 —	10 —	10 —	Hills
...	6 —	6 —	...	...	5 4	5 4	10 —	10 —	Garo Hills
...	6 —	6 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	Manipur
...	10 —	10 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	18 —	17 —	Naga Hills
...	10 —	10 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Lushai Hills
...	9 —	10 —	...	...	6 8	7 —	16 —	16 —	Brahmaputra—
...	0 —	9 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Goalpara
...	9 —	9 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	Kamrup
...	9 —	9 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	15 —	15 —	Darrang
...	Nowgong
...	Sibsagar
...	Lakhimpur
...	9 —	9 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	22 —	22 —	Bengal—
...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...	16 —	18 —	Eastern—
...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Chittagong
...	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	Noakhali
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Backerganj
...	Maimensing
...	Tippura
...	Dacca
...	8 —	8 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Deltic—
...	12 8	12 —	...	...	9 —	10 8	20 —	20 —	Khulna
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	20 —	20 —	24 Parganas
...	11 12	11 14	18 —	18 —	9 12	9 12	18 —	18 —	Howrah
...	18 8	18 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	19 8	19 8	Calcutta
...	14 8	14 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Houghly
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	20 —	20 —	Nadia (Krishnagar)
...	9 12	12 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	Jessore
...	Faridpur

RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF FEBRUARY 1913—continued

Districts	WHEAT		BARLEY		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR COMBU (Pennisetum typhoidesum)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half month
Bengal—continued												
Western—												
Bankura	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 12	...	...	...	...
Burdwan . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 8	...	...	...	...
Birbhum	8 4	9 —	...	...	...	...	8 8	9 —	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	9 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	10 10	10 10	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad	11 8	12 —	15 8	16 —	...	...	9 —	9 4	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Pabna	10 10	12 —	...	...	...	...	8 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi	9 12	10 8	16 8	16 8	...	...	7 14	8 4	...	...	...	...
Malda	8 —	10 —	20 —	18 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Bogra	12 —	12 —	...	...	...	...	7 6	7 2	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...	8 6	8 12	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur	10 13	10 13	...	...	...	...	8 6	9 10	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	9 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hills—												
Darjeeling	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	0 —	6 8	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—												
Bihar, north—												
Purnea	11 —	9 8	...	...	...	...	7 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Bhagalpur	10 —	11 6	16 —	12 10	...	...	8 14	8 14	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga	9 14	11 —	...	15 6	...	...	9 0	8 13	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	10 —	11 —	15 —	16 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Saran	11 8	12 —	19 —	18 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Champaran	10 8	11 8	20 —	21 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—												
Banthal Parganas	8 12	10 —	8 —	10 —	...	...	8 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Monghyr	10 12	10 8	16 —	16 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Gaya	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Patna	11 8	12 —	18 —	15 —	...	...	9 —	9 8	17 —	16 —	12 —	12 —
Shahabad	11 —	12 —	14 —	...	...	...	10 —	10 8	...	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur—												
Singbhum	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 8	...	...	...	...
Manbhum	9 —	10 —	13 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	14 —
Ranchi	9 14	9 12	15 —	15 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Palamanu	1 8	11 13	12 6	...	...	...	9 9	9 9	...	...	...	...
Hasaribagh	8 —	9 4	10 —	13 5	...	...	8 —	7 6	...	...	...	...
Orissa—												
Puri	9 13	9 8	...	...	...	...	9 13	9 8	...	...	...	...
Cuttack	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	...	...	...	...
Balasore	10 —	12 —	...	...	...	...	10 12	10 8	...	...	...	...
Sambalpur	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—												
(a) AGRA—												
Eastern—												
Mirzapur	10 4	10 4	13 —	13 8	5 —	4 8	7 8	7 8	15 8	15 8	13 8	13 8
Benares	11 6	11 11	13 9	13 9	6 2	6 2	7 5	7 5	15 11	15 11	13 9	13 9
Ghasipur	10 8	11 —	12 15	13 1	6 3	6 1	8 10	9 1	15 11	16 13	12 14	13 1
Jaunpur	10 4	10 8	13 10	13 4	5 6	5 6	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Allahabad	9 8	10 4	16 —	16 —	5 12	5 12	7 8	7 8	18 10	18 8	15 8	15 8
Central—												
Banda	18 4	13 4	17 —	17 —	4 8	4 8	8 8	8 8	20 —	20 8	15 8	15 8
Etahpur	10 12	10 12	16 8	16 8	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	20 —	20 —	16 —	16 —
Hamirpur	13 2	13 2	15 13	15 13	5 10	5 10	7 8	7 8	20 14	20 2	15 13	15 13
Jaloun	18 8	13 12	18 —	18 —	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	19 —	19 —	16 —	16 —
Cawnpore	10 —	10 12	15 8	15 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	17 8	18 —	15 8	15 8
Jhansi	10 8	11 2	15 12	14 14	5 1	5 6	7 8	7 10	16 7	17 —	14 10	14 12
Etawah	10 4	11 4	16 8	16 8	3 —	3 —	9 —	9 —	18 8	18 8	16 4	16 8
Farukhabad	11 2	11 2	15 10	15 10	3 14	3 14	8 8	8 15	16 4	16 4	15 15	15 10
Mainpuri	11 8	11 8	17 —	17 —	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	17 —	17 —
Etah	11 12	12 —	18 —	18 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 8	17 —	19 —	16 —	17 —
Western—												
Meerut	10 8	11 —	14 4	14 8	3 —	3 4	7 —	7 8	14 12	16 8	14 8	15 —
Agra	10 —	10 —	15 8	15 —	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	15 8	15 —
Muttra	10 12	10 12	15 —	15 —	5 —	5 —	7 8	7 8	18 —	18 —	15 —	15 —
Aligarh	11 8	11 8	15 —	15 8	3 8	3 8	5 —	5 —	16 8	16 8	16 8	16 8
Bulandshahr	11 8	12 —	16 —	16 —	3 —	3 —	5 —	5 8	16 —	16 8	16 —	16 —
Submontane, ea.—												
Ballia	11 1	11 1	14 —	14 5	5 14	6 3	9 2	9 2	...	...	...	...
Assamgarh	10 8	10 8	13 —	13 —	6 —	6 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur	12 2	12 9	16 —	16 —	7 11	8 2	10 10	11 1	18 7	18 7	15 4	15 —
Basti	11 8	11 8	18 —	18 —	6 —	6 —	10 —	11 12

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Bengal—continued												
Western—												
...	13 —	13 —	10 —	10 —	19 —	20 —	Bankura
...	13 —	13 —	10 —	10 —	21 —	21 —	Burdwan
...	12 —	12 —	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Birbhum
...	10 8	10 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Midnapur
...	15 8	13 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	20 —	20 —	Murshidabad
Northern—												
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Palna
...	13 8	12 12	...	...	8 1	8 4	15 12	15 12	Rajshahi
...	11 —	12 —	12 —	18 —	8 —	7 —	18 —	18 —	Malda
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	9 3	9 12	19 8	19 8	Bogra
...	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Jalpaiguri
...	12 10	12 10	...	...	9 9	9 10	17 —	17 —	Dinajpur
...	11 8	11 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	17 —	17 —	Rangpur
11 —	9 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	11 —	10 8	6 8	6 8	13 —	13 —	Hills— Darjeeling
Bihar and Orissa—												
Bihar, north—												
...	12 —	12 —	13 —	17 —	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Purnea
17 9	17 9	...	...	15 —	15 4	18 14	17 12	10 —	9 8	20 —	20 —	Bhagalpur
...	13 3	13 3	15 6	17 9	10 6	11 —	16 11	17 9	Darbhanga
...	14 —	15 —	16 —	17 —	11 —	11 —	19 —	19 —	Muzaffarpur
...	16 —	...	13 —	17 —	18 —	17 —	18 8	11 —	11 —	19 8	19 8	Saran
21 —	20 —	...	...	14 —	15 —	17 —	19 —	10 —	10 —	18 —	18 —	Champaran
Bihar, south—												
...	12 —	12 —	13 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	16 —	18 —	Santhal Parganas
...	15 —	14 8	16 —	16 4	9 —	9 4	18 14	18 14	Monghyr
...	...	12 —	12 —	14 —	14 —	15 —	15 —	10 —	10 —	17 —	17 —	Cuma
...	...	15 —	16 —	15 —	15 —	18 —	18 —	11 —	12 —	19 12	19 12	Patna
...	14 8	14 —	16 —	16 —	10 —	10 —	19 —	19 —	Shahabad
Chota Nagpur—												
...	11 8	11 8	...	...	8 8	9 —	17 —	17 —	Singbhum
...	12 8	12 —	13 —	14 —	9 8	10 —	16 —	16 —	Manbhum
20 —	20 —	...	...	11 8	11 8	12 —	13 —	8 —	7 12	16 —	16 —	Ranchi
...	11 13	11 4	15 8	15 3	10 2	10 2	18 9	18 9	Palamau
15 —	16 8	...	...	12 8	13 —	14 4	14 —	9 12	9 12	16 —	16 —	Hazaribagh
Orissa—												
...	11 2	10 8	...	...	8 13	8 13	25 —	25 —	Puri
...	11 2	11 2	...	...	8 8	7 14	24 8	24 8	Cuttack
...	10 —	11 4	...	...	7 8	8 —	18 —	20 —	Balasore
...	{ 12 — to 13 — }	...	...	...	{ 8 — to 8 8 }	{ 8 — to 8 8 }	16 —	16 —	Sambalpur
United Provinces—												
(a) AGRA—												
Eastern—												
...	...	15 8	15 8	13 8	13 8	15 —	15 —	10 8	10 8	16 —	16 —	Mirzapur
...	...	15 11 1	15 11 1	13 9	13 13	16 12	16 12	10 5	10 5	16 11	16 11	Bonares
...	...	20 9	20 9	13 1	13 9	16 13	16 14	10 9	10 9	16 10	16 10	Ghazipur
...	16 1	15 —	16 14	18 —	10 10	10 1	17 7	17 7	Jaunpur
...	16 8	17 —	...	...	12 —	12 8	19 —	19 —	Allahabad
Central—												
...	...	14 —	15 —	18 8	18 8	...	...	12 8	12 8	18 12	18 12	Banda
...	16 —	16 8	...	...	12 —	12 —	18 —	18 —	Fatehpur
...	17 —	17 2	...	...	11 4	11 4	17 —	17 —	Hamirpur
...	19 4	19 8	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	19 —	Jalaun
...	...	18 8	19 —	17 —	17 —	16 8	18 —	12 —	12 —	22 —	22 —	Cawnpore
...	16 14	17 6	...	...	8 8	8 10	19 12	19 8	Jhansi
15 8	15 8	15 8	15 8	18 8	18 8	19 8	19 8	11 8	11 8	20 8	20 8	Etawah
...	16 4	16 4	19 8	19 8	11 2	11 2	20 2	20 2	Farukhabad
...	17 —	17 —	20 —	20 —	12 —	12 —	20 —	20 —	Mainpuri
...	17 —	17 8	20 —	22 —	13 —	13 —	20 —	20 —	Etah
Western—												
...	14 12	15 4	15 8	16 4	12 —	12 —	22 8	22 8	Meerut
...	16 —	16 —	17 —	17 —	12 8	12 8	21 8	21 8	Agra
...	18 —	18 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	21 —	21 —	Muttra
...	...	7 —	7 —	15 8	15 —	19 8	19 8	12 —	12 —	22 —	22 —	Aligarh
...	15 4	15 8	17 —	17 —	11 —	11 —	21 —	21 —	Bulandshahr
Submontane, east—												
...	14 15	15 10	17 8	18 14	11 1	11 11	16 4	16 4	Ballia
...	15 4	15 4	18 —	18 —	10 8	10 8	17 —	17 —	Azamgarh
...	...	14 13	14 13	16 15	16 15	18 7	18 7	12 —	12 —	18 8	18 8	Gorakhpur
...	17 —	17 8	19 —	19 —	11 —	11 —	19 —	19 —	Basti

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DISTRICTS.	WHEAT		BARLEY		RICE				JAWAR OR OHOLUM (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR CUMBU (Pennisetum typhoides)	
	Half month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Best sort		Common		Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month
					Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month				
United Provinces— continued												
(a) AGRA—continued												
Submontane, west—												
Shahjahanpur	11 8	11 14	16 —	16 —	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	17 —	18 —	17 —	17 —
Budaun	11 2	11 4	16 —	16 4	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	17 —	17 —	15 12	15 15
Pilibit	10 12	11 6	15 —	18 8	5 8	5 8	9 —	9 —	17 —	17 —	17 —	17 —
Bareilly	10 14	10 10	15 12	15 12	4 4	4 4	7 4	7 4	17 —	17 —	15 12	15 12
Moradabad	10 14	10 12	16 2	16 2	3 6	3 6	8 14	8 14	17 12	18 3	15 2	14 10
Bijnor	10 6	9 8	15 4	15 —	3 8	3 8	7 12	7 12	17 —	17 —	13 —	13 —
Muzaffarnagar	11 4	11 4	15 6	15 10	7 11	7 11	8 4	8 4	16 8	16 8	13 3	14 1
Saharanpur	10 10	10 10	16 8	16 8	3 8	3 8	7 3	7 3	18 —	18 —	14 4	14 4
Dehra-Dun . . . . .	...	10 6	...	15 —	...	3 —	...	7 8	...	12 12	...	14 —
Hills—												
Naini Tal	8 8	9 —	12 —	12 —	3 —	3 —	6 8	6 8	12 —	12 —	10 —	10 —
Almora . . . . .	...	10 —	...	12 8	...	4 —	...	7 12	...	...	...	...
Garhwal	12 —	12 —	18 —	13 —	4 —	4 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
(b) OUDH—												
Southern—												
Partabgarh	12 —	12 —	16 —	16 —	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 8	18 —	18 —	16 —	16 —
Sultampur	11 —	12 8	16 8	18 —	5 —	5 —	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Bac-Bareilly	11 4	12 4	16 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 8	20 —	21 —	18 —	18 —
Unao	10 10	11 6	15 4	15 2	5 8	5 8	9 4	9 4	17 8	18 8	15 4	16 4
Lucknow	11 —	11 6	16 8	17 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 8	19 —	19 —	17 4	17 8
Hardoi	11 8	13 —	17 —	17 —	3 8	3 8	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	18 —	16 —
Northern—												
Fyzabad	11 4	11 12	17 —	16 8	...	...	7 14	8 2	19 8	19 8	15 —	15 —
Barabanki	12 —	12 —	14 —	14 —	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	20 —	20 —	16 —	16 —
Gonda	11 4	12 4	17 4	17 4	6 4	6 4	9 2	9 2	20 4	20 4	17 —	17 4
Bahraich	11 8	12 —	21 —	21 —	6 —	6 8	9 8	10 8	21 —	24 —	20 8	20 2
Sitapur	12 —	12 8	18 —	18 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 8	21 8	21 8	18 —	18 —
Kheri	11 8	11 12	17 —	18 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	9 —	22 —	22 —	17 —	18 —
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Mewar (Udaipur)	9 6	9 7	11 4	11 8	6 —	5 15	6 12	6 11	18 8	18 —	11 4	10 12
Ajmer . . . . .	...	8 9	...	11 12	...	5 8	...	7 —	...	18 —	...	12 8
Kishangarh	9 8	10 —	11 —	11 8	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	12 —	12 8	11 —	11 8
Tonk	10 12	11 2	14 8	14 14	4 4	4 4	5 5	6 6	17 —	18 2	16 —	17 —
Jaipur	9 12	9 12	12 14	12 14	4 15	4 15	5 11	5 11	15 7	15 7	13 6	13 6
Karauli	9 11	9 15	14 6	15 —	7 8	7 8	8 2	8 2	15 —	15 —	14 1	14 6
Dholpur . . . . .	...	11 —	...	17 8	...	5 4	...	5 8	...	18 —	...	17 4
Bharatpur	10 4	10 8	14 2	14 12	4 14	4 14	5 2	5 2	16 —	16 —	14 2	14 2
Alwar	9 12	9 15	13 8	13 12	5 5	5 5	6 13	6 —	15 8	15 7	13 12	15 —
Deoli	10 15	11 7	13 —	13 12	5 —	5 —	6 —	6 —	15 6	14 12	13 12	13 12
Nasirabad	9 12	9 12	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	18 —	18 —	11 8	11 —
Western—												
Bikaner	9 —	9 8	13 8	13 8	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	12 8	13 —	9 8	10 —
Jaisalmer	7 10	7 10	...	...	4 15	4 6	6 10	5 12	10 6	10 5	9 12	9 4
Jodhpur	{ 8 2 and 9 —	{ 8 1 and 9 6	{ 13 — and 13 7	{ 13 7 and 13 7	{ 5 3 and 5 3	{ 5 3 and 5 3	{ 6 8 and 6 8	{ 6 8 and 6 8	{ 18 4 and 18 4	{ 18 12 and 18 12	{ 10 8 and 12 4	{ 10 8 and 11 10
Central India—												
Indore	11 4	11 4	13 —	13 —	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	19 8	19 8	12 —	12 —
Nimach	10 —	10 8	...	...	6 12	6 12	7 —	7 —	15 —	15 —	12 —	12 —
Gwalior	11 4	11 4	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Punjab—												
Southern—												
Hissar	10 12	11 —	16 —	16 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	14 —	14 —	13 4	14 —
Ferozpur	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	15 —	15 —	...	...
Central—												
Lahore	9 12	9 12	13 8	13 8	...	...	7 12	7 12	14 —	14 —	12 —	11 12
Gujranwala	10 6	10 4	15 8	15 8	8 —	7 8	15 8	15 —	12 8	12 8
Gujarat	10 8	10 —	16 —	15 —	7 —	7 —	11 8	11 8
Jhelum	10 —	10 —	14 —	14 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	11 —

* Not reported yet

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Half- month of report	Pre- vious half month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	...	14 —	14 —	16 —	16 —	19 4	19 8	13 —	13 —	19 —	19 —	United Provinces— <i>continued</i>
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 8	21 —	21 —	12 —	12 —	20 —	20 —	(a) AGRA— <i>continued</i>
...	...	...	...	15 8	16 8	18 —	18 —	9 12	11 —	20 —	20 —	Submontane, west—
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 12	18 —	18 —	10 8	10 8	21 —	21 —	Shahjahanpur
...	...	...	...	14 6	14 8	16 12	17 10	11 6	12 6	20 8	20 8	Budaun
...	...	...	...	14 —	13 12	...	...	9 8	9 4	19 8	19 8	Pilibit
...	...	...	...	14 14	14 9	16 8	16 8	8 4	8 4	20 14	20 14	Bareilly
...	...	...	...	14 14	14 14	18 —	18 —	9 9	9 9	20 12	20 12	Moradabad
...	16 —	...	...	...	18 10	...	16 8	...	12 —	...	18 —	Bijnor
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	12 —	12 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	Musaaffarnagar
...	12 8	...	...	11 4	11 4	...	...	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	Saharanpur
20 —	20 —	16 —	16 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	10 —	10 —	Dehra-Dun
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	<i>Hills—</i>
...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	20 —	20 —	Naini Tal
...	...	...	...	19 8	19 8	...	...	12 —	12 8	21 —	21 —	Almora
24 —	24 —	14 —	14 —	16 8	18 —	16 —	18 —	12 —	12 —	20 —	20 —	Garhwal
...	...	12 —	...	16 12	16 8	...	...	12 —	12 —	20 —	20 —	(b) OUDH—
...	...	...	...	17 4	17 8	21 —	22 —	11 —	11 —	18 —	18 —	<i>Southern—</i>
28 —	28 —	30 —	20 —	17 —	17 —	24 —	24 —	12 —	13 —	20 —	20 —	Partabgarh
...	...	15 8	15 8	18 12	19 4	20 4	20 8	10 8	10 10	18 —	19 —	Sultanpur
...	...	12 —	12 —	18 —	18 —	20 —	20 —	11 —	11 —	20 —	20 —	Rae-Bareilly
12 —	12 —	12 —	12 —	17 4	17 4	20 8	20 8	10 10	10 6	17 —	17 —	Unao
...	...	...	...	17 —	17 8	19 —	22 —	12 —	12 —	19 —	19 —	Lucknow
17 —	17 —	17 —	17 —	19 8	19 —	22 —	22 —	12 —	12 —	20 —	20 —	Hardoi
24 —	24 —	10 —	10 —	17 8	18 —	21 8	21 8	11 —	11 —	19 —	20 —	<i>Northern—</i>
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Fyzabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Barabanki
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gonda
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bahraich
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sitapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kheri
...	...	9 6	9 4	12 9	12 10	13 12	12 10	8 10	8 8	18 7	18 3	Rajputana—
...	...	...	6 8	12 8	13 8	...	13 8	...	10 8	...	24 —	<i>Eastern—</i>
...	13 8	13 8	12 —	12 8	24 —	24 —	Mewar (Udaipur)
...	17 —	17 —	14 —	14 14	21 4	21 4	Ajmer
...	13 14	13 14	15 7	15 7	16 7	16 7	23 10	23 10	Kishangarh

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					Best sort		Common					
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Punjab—continued												
<i>South-eastern—</i>												
Gurgaon	11 —	11 —	15 8	15 8	5 —	5 —	16 —	16 —	14 8	14 8
Delhi	10 4	10 4	15 —	15 —	3 —	3 —	5 12	6 —	17 —	17 —	14 —	14 —
Rohtak	11 —	10 8	16 —	16 —	...	...	8 8	9 —	16 8	16 8	14 —	13 8
Karnal	11 6	11 2	17 8	16 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	14 —	14 —
<i>Submontane—</i>												
Ambala	11 —	10 4	15 8	16 —	...	...	7 8	8 —	19 —	19 —	12 12	13 —
Ludhiana	11 —	10 8	16 4	15 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	13 8	13 —	13 —
Jullundur	12 —	11 12	15 8	15 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	17 —	17 —	12 —	12 —
Hoshiarpur	11 12	11 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	14 —	14 —	10 —	10 —
Gurdaspur	11 —	11 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	...	...
Amritsar	11 —	11 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	7 4	7 4	14 8	14 —	12 —	13 —
Shikot	11 —	10 —	...	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	14 —	12 8
<i>Hills—</i>												
Simla	9 8	9 —	17 —	17 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	15 —	15 —	10 8	10 8
Kangra	10 8	10 8	15 —	15 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
<i>Northern—</i>												
Kawalpindi	10 —	10 —	13 12	14 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	12 12	12 8	11 12	11 —
Attock	10 —	9 8	16 —	15 —	...	...	7 8	7 —	...	...	11 8	...
<i>Western—</i>												
Shahpur	10 —	10 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	7 —	17 —	...	11 —	13 —	12 —
Jhang	11 —	10 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	13 —	14 —	12 —	13 —
Lyallpur	11 —	10 6	14 —	14 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Multan	10 8	10 8	13 8	12 12	...	...	8 4	8 —	18 8	18 4	11 12	11 12
Montgomery	10 4	10 4	12 4	12 4	...	...	6 8	6 8	18 4	13 8	12 —	11 8
Muzaffargarh	10 12	10 12	...	14 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	14 8	12 —	12 —
Dera Ghazi Khan	10 —	10 —	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 1	7 1	13 12	13 12	12 8	12 8
N.-W. F. Province—												
Hazara	8 12	8 10	13 4	14 4	8 6	8 6	7 —	7 6	...	...	10 5	10 12
Peshawar	9 —	9 —	14 —	15 —	5 3	5 3	6 3	6 3	12 —	12 —	11 —	12 —
Kohat	10 —	9 —	15 —	15 —	4 8	4 8	9 4	9 4	12 12	12 12	10 13	11 3
Bannu	10 7	10 10	14 —	14 3	3 7	3 7	8 2	8 12	15 —	15 —	11 9	11 14
Dera Ismael Khan	9 11	9 11	13 7	13 8	3 8	3 8	6 5	6 5	16 1	16 4	12 15	12 14
Tochi	10 —	11 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	7 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Kurram	9 8	10 —	17 8	18 —	8 11	9 —	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malakand	10 8	10 8	16 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	5 8	5 8	13 —	13 —	...	...
Wano	8 11	8 14	11 2	11 4	3 —	3 —	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—												
Karachi	9 8	9 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 —	11 8	10 8
Hyderabad	8 4	8 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	7 8	8 —	11 —	11 —	11 —	11 —
Thar and Parkar (Mirpur Khas)	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	11 8	11 8	11 —	11 —
Shikarpur	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	13 —	13 —
Upper Sind Frontier	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	13 —	13 —	13 8	13 4
Quetta	9 4	9 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	to	to	10 13	10 13	3 4	3 4	5 11	6 15	11 7	11 5	10 —	9 3
Dombay—												
<i>Konkan—</i>												
Karwar	6 13	6 13	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 0	7 0	10 2	9 10	8 12	9 4
Batimgiri	6 12	6 12	...	...	7 4	7 4	7 13	7 13	10 6	9 2	10 10	10 10
Alibag	7 6	7 6	...	...	7 6	7 6	8 2	8 2	...	...	9 8	9 8
Dombay	6 8	6 8	...	...	5 12	5 12	7 18	7 18	9 13	9 13	10 10	10 10
Thanna	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 15	6 15	7 5	7 5	10 3	10 3	9 14	9 14
<i>Deccan and Karnatak—</i>												
Dharwar	8 7	7 8	...	...	8 5	8 5	8 18	8 18	12 12	12 5	10 10	10 10
Bolgaum	8 13	8 5	...	...	7 7	7 11	7 15	7 14	11 9	11 9	11 10	12 2
Satara	7 6	7 1	...	...	6 4	6 4	7 2	7 2	10 15	10 10	11 —	10 11
Sholapur	8 7	8 7	...	...	6 15	6 15	7 8	7 8	12 8	12 8	12 —	12 —
Bijapur	7 13	7 2	...	...	6 8	5 10	7 8	7 1	11 6	11 6	12 3	11 12
Poona	7 8	7 8	...	...	5 2	5 2	5 12	5 12	10 13	10 13	10 3	10 13
<i>Khandesh and N.-E.</i>												
<i>Deccan—</i>												
Ahmadnagar	9 9	9 9	...	...	6 4	5 14	7 —	6 10	11 —	11 —	10 3	11 3
Nasik	9 14	9 3	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 7	7 7	...	...	10 15	11 11
Dhulia	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 3	6 3	6 9	6 9	12 4	12 4	10 8	10 8
Jalgaon	9 9	9 9	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 9	6 9	13 3	13 2	12 11	12 13
<i>Gujarat—</i>												
Surat	9 11	9 11	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 5	8 5	11 2	11 2	10 10	10 10
Broach	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 —	11 8	11 8
Kaira	7 8	7 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 8	5 8	13 8	13 8	12 —	12 —
Baroda	8 8	8 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	10 —	10 —	10 —	10 —
Ahmadabad	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 4	5 4	7 8	7 8	12 —	12 —	12 —	12 —
Godhra	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 8	7 8	...	...	11 —	11 —
Disa	8 8	9 8	...	...	5 4	5 4	5 8	5 8	15 —	15 —	14 —	14 —
<i>Kathiawar—</i>												
Rajkot	9 8	9 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 8	5 8	13 —	13 —	10 0	10 4
Central Provinces—												
<i>Western—</i>												
Nimar	10 8	10 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	7 0	7 9	12 —	12 —	...	...
Hoshangabad	11 1	10 5	...	...	4 12	4 12	7 1	7 1	13 1	13 1	...	...
Betul	11 6	12 1	...	...	...	...	7 3	7 3	12 14	14 2	...	...
Chindwara	10 10	12 11	6 11	6 11	10 8	10 8	12 11	12 11
Nagpur	11 2	11 7	5 3	5 3	9 2	9 2	11 8	11 8
Wardha	10 —	10 —	4 2	5 2	9 1	9 1	12 —	12 4

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...	16 8	16 —	14 —	15 —	10 —	10 —	20 —	20 —	Punjab—continued
...	15 —	15 —	17 —	17 —	11 —	11 —	22 —	22 —	South-eastern—
...	16 8	16 —	15 —	15 —	12 —	12 —	21 —	21 —	Gurgaon
...	16 8	15 —	17 —	17 —	10 8	10 8	20 —	20 —	Delhi
19 8	20 —	15 8	16 —	15 12	15 4	16 8	16 8	10 8	10 8	27 —	27 —	Rohtak
...	...	8 8	8 8	16 —	15 8	17 —	16 4	...	...	25 8	25 8	Karnal
...	...	7 —	7 —	15 12	15 8	17 —	15 —	...	...	25 —	25 —	Submontane—
...	14 —	14 —	16 —	15 8	...	...	23 —	23 —	Ambala
...	...	8 —	8 —	14 —	13 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	24 —	24 —	Ludhiana
...	...	12 —	12 —	14 8	14 —	15 —	14 8	10 —	10 —	26 8	26 8	Jullundur
...	15 —	13 —	14 —	13 —	...	...	26 —	26 —	Hoshiarpur
...	12 8	12 —	18 12	16 —	7 8	6 8	17 —	17 —	Gurdaspur
...	10 8	10 —	12 —	12 —	8 —	7 —	16 —	15 —	Amritsar
...	...	13 —	13 —	14 —	13 8	14 8	14 4	8 —	...	26 —	27 —	Sialkot
...	13 4	13 —	13 8	12 —	8 —	7 —	26 —	26 —	Hills—
17 —	17 —	17 —	17 —	18 8	18 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	20 —	22 —	Simla
...	18 4	18 2	14 8	14 8	...	...	21 —	21 —	Kangra
...	...	11 8	11 8	14 —	14 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	24 —	24 —	Northern—
...	18 —	12 12	14 12	13 12	...	...	25 8	25 8	Rawalpindi
...	14 2	13 2	13 8	13 5	8 —	8 —	22 —	22 —	Attock
...	12 12	12 12	12 —	12 —	...	...	21 —	21 —	Western—
...	12 8	12 3	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	22 8	Shahpur
...	11 2	11 —	11 —	11 —	...	...	20 —	20 —	Jhang
...	...	11 —	11 —	13 —	13 —	13 —	12 —	11 —	11 —	25 —	25 —	Lyalpur
...	13 1	12 12	12 7	11 12	...	...	25 8	25 8	Multan
...	11 5	11 8	13 10	13 13	...	...	31 14	31 14	Montgomery
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	...	...	27 —	27 —	Muz. Nagarh
...	15 —	15 —	...	...	23 —	23 —	Dera Ghasi Khan
...	9 —	9 —	12 8	13 —	...	...	19 —	19 —	N.-W. F. Province—
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Hazara
...	Peshawar
...	13 —	13 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	26 8	26 8	Kohat
...	11 —	11 8	...	...	8 8	9 —	22 —	22 —	Bannu
...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...	20 —	20 —	Dera Ismael Khan
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	22 —	22 —	Tochi
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	16 —	16 —	Kurram
...	Malakand
...	Wano
...	13 —	13 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	26 8	26 8	Sind and Baluchistan—
...	11 —	11 8	...	...	8 8	9 —	22 —	22 —	Karachi
...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...	20 —	20 —	Hyderabad
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	22 —	22 —	Thar and Parkar
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	16 —	16 —	(Mirpur, Khas)
...	10 15	11 —	11 4	11 9	6 —	6 —	16 —	16 —	Shikarpur
...	Upper Sind Frontier
...	Quetta
12 8	12 8	...	...	10 7	10 7	...	...	7 10	7 10	20 10	20 10	Bombay—
9 6	9 6	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 2	8 2	22 2	22 2	Konkan—
7 14	7 14	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	8 5	8 5	23 12	23 12	Karwar
10 5	10 5	...	...	10 10	10 10	...	...	8 15	8 15	18 14	18 14	Ratnagiri
...	11 2	11 2	...	...	8 10	8 10	23 2	23 2	Alibag
...	10 15	10 1	...	...	7 12	7 15	19 8	19 8	Bombay
12 8	12 11	...	...	10 14	10 6	...	...	7 13	8 5	22 10	22 10	Thanna
...	13 9	13 9	...	...	8 8	8 8	19 —	19 —	Deccan and Karnata.—
...	18 2	13 2	...	...	8 8	8 8	18 —	18 —	Dharwar
...	10 14	10 14	...	...	8 5	7 14	20 8	20 8	Belgaum
...	12 2	12 12	...	...	7 8	7 8	18 12	18 12	Satara
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	9 2	8 6	17 3	17 3	Sholapur
14 4	14 4	...	...	14 3	14 2	...	...	7 6	7 6	21 —	21 —	Bijapur
...	11 11	11 11	...	...	7 10	8 1	18 11	18 11	Poona
...	14 6	14 6	...	...	10 3	10 3	19 3	19 —	Khandesh and N.-E.
...	9 11	9 11	...	...	8 5	8 5	27 12	27 12	Deccan—
14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	24 9	24 9	Ahmadnagar
11 8	11 8	...	...	12 —	11 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	26 8	26 8	Nasik
...	10 8	10 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	21 —	21 —	Dhulia
...	13 —	13 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	26 8	26 8	Jalgaon
...	13 —	13 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	26 8	26 8	Gujarat—
...	9 8	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	25 —	25 —	Surat
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 —	5 8	90 —	90 —	Broach
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kaira
...	15 1	14 7	...	...	8 8	8 8	17 5	17 5	Baroda
...	13 3	13 3	...	...	10 2	10 2	16 —	16 —	Ahmadabad
...	12 11	12 11	...	...	8 9	8 9	16 —	16 —	Godhra
...	11 14	11 14	...	...	8 11	8 11	16 —	16 —	Disa
...	10 15	10 15	...	...	9 13	10 7	16 —	16 —	Kathiawar—
...	10 11	10 14	17 —	17 —	Rajkot
...	Central Provinces—
...	Western—
...	Nimar
...	Hoshangabad
...	Betul
...	Chhindwara
...	Nagpur
...	Wardha

RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF FEBRUARY 1913—continued

Districts	RICE								JAWAR OR OHOLUM (<i>Andropogon sorghum</i>)		BAJRA OR GUMBU (<i>Pennisetum typhoides</i>)	
	WHEAT		BARLEY		Best sort		Common		Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month
	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month				
Central Provinces— <i>continued</i>												
Central—												
Narsinghpur . . .	10 5	10 5	...	...	4 18	4 18	8 —	8 —	14 4	14 3	...	...
Saugor . . .	11 —	11 —	...	...	6 8	6 —	8 —	7 —	14 6	14 —	...	...
Damoh . . .	11 15	11 15	...	...	6 9	6 9	7 12	7 12	15 11	15 11	...	...
Jubbulpore . . .	10 8	10 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	10 8	10 5	14 —	14 —	...	...
Mandla . . .	10 12	11 1	...	...	7 2	7 2	9 2	9 2	...	...	...	...
Seoni . . .	11 5	11 5	...	...	7 9	7 2	10 2	10 2	12 —	12 —	...	...
Balaghat . . .	8 15	8 15	...	...	5 18	5 18	9 2	10 7	...	...	...	...
Bhandara . . .	10 4	10 4	...	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	...	...	...	...
Chanda . . .	10 —	8 15	...	...	6 11	6 11	8 —	8 —	18 5	18 5	...	...
Eastern—												
Bilaspur . . .	11 11	11 11	...	...	9 2	9 2	12 18	12 18	...	...	...	...
Raipur . . .	12 8	12 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Drug . . .	13 18	13 18	...	...	10 4	9 15	10 18	10 18	...	...	...	...
Berar—												
Buldana . . .	8 12	8 12	...	...	5 —	5 —	7 4	7 4	11 18	11 18	...	...
Akola . . .	9 9	9 9	...	...	5 13	5 18	9 —	9 —	15 —	15 —	...	...
Amratoli . . .	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	8 11	8 11	15 —	15 —	...	...
Yeotmal . . .	10 7	9 —	...	...	4 6	4 —	8 11	8 —	16 —	16 —	...	...
Hyderabad—												
Secunderabad . . .	6 1	6 4	9 1	9 2	3 8	3 8	5 14	6 4	10 11	10 10	10 8	11 7
Madras—												
Malabar Coast—												
Malabar . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	...	...	...	...
S. Canara . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 1	8 1	...	...	...	...
South, Central—												
Coimbatore . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	11 —	12 9	12 5	13 11
Nilgiris . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Salem . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 6	5 6	9 18	9 18	8 4	8 4
Central—												
Bellary . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	14 4	14 4	...	...
Anantapur . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	14 9	14 9	...	...
Cuddapah . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	12 6	12 6	12 11	12 4
Karnul . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	18 11	12 3	...	...
East Coast, north—												
Ganjam . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 14	6 12	...	...	14 14	13 13
Godavari . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 2	7 9	16 5	16 5	...	...
East Coast, central—												
Kistna . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 9	9 9	13 12	13 9	...	...
Guntur . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	13 1	13 1	11 —	11 —
Nellore . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	13 6	12 12	14 —	14 —
East Coast, south—												
Madras . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...
Chingleput . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 5	7 5	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 13	7 —	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	9 9	9 —
Tanjore . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	...	...	10 15	10 15
Trichinopoly . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	14 7	18 13	12 5	11 5
Southern—												
Tinnevely . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	7 7	11 12	11 12	11 10	11 5
Madura . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	11 —	10 8	9 4	8 9
Mysore—												
Mysore . . .	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	...	...
Bangalore . . .	6 —	6 —	5 4	5 4	5 —	5 —	5 8	5 8	...	...	...	...
Coorg—												
Coorg . . .	6 —	6 —	6 —	6 —	7 8	7 —	9 8	9 —	...	...	...	...
Aren . . .												
Aren . . .	6 12	7 —	...	...	5 5	5 1	5 9	5 9	9 5	10 8	9 5	8 15

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

MARUA OR RAGI (<i>Eleusine coracana</i>)		KANOHI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (<i>Setaria italica</i>)		GRAM, OHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (<i>Cicer aristinum</i>)		MAIZE (<i>Zea Mays</i>)		ARHAR DAL		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
												Central Provinces —continued Central—
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	16 —	16 —	Narsinghpur
...	...	...	...	15 —	14 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	20 —	20 —	Saugor
...	...	...	...	14 1	13 14	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Damoh
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	...	...	10 —	10 —	17 —	17 —	Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	14 7	14 7	...	...	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Mandla
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Seoni
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	8 14	8 14	15 12	15 12	Balaghāt
...	...	...	...	11 15	11 15	...	...	9 4	9 4	16 13	16 13	Bhandāra
...	...	...	...	11 7	11 7	...	...	10 —	11 7	20 —	16 —	Chānda
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	10 11	10 11	12 13	12 13	Eastern— Bilaspur
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	...	...	11 4	11 4	16 —	16 —	Raipur
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 12	...	...	9 —	9 —	15 4	15 4	Drug
...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	...	...	9 1	9 1	16 —	16 —	Berar— Buldāna
...	...	...	...	12 1	12 2	...	...	8 9	8 9	15 —	15 —	Akola
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	...	...	11 4	11 4	17 2	17 2	Amrāoti
...	...	...	...	11 10	11 10	...	...	11 10	11 10	16 —	16 —	Yectmal
11 10	12 1	...	...	11 10	11 1	...	...	11 10	11 13	14 —	14 —	Hyderabad— Secunderabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 8	19 6	Madras— Malabar Coast—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 13	20 13	Malabar
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 6	19 8	S. Canara
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	South, central— Coimbatore
12 10	12 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 —	16 6	Nilgiris
14 14	14 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 7	17 7	Salem
18 5	19 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 15	19 15	Central— Bollary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 3	21 7	Anantapur
16 8	16 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 1	16 1	Cuddapah
14 10	14 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 9	20 9	Karnul
13 9	13 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 —	20 —	East Coast, north— Ganjam
13 7	14 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 —	24 —	Vizagapatam
10 13	10 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27 —	27 —	Godavari
14 6	14 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 —	24 —	East Coast, central— Kistna
11 12	11 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26 3	26 3	Guntur
10 10	10 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26 7	28 4	Nellore
12 15	12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26 —	26 —	East Coast, south— Madras
11 18	11 18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23 2	23 2	Chingleput
12 9	12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23 1	23 1	N. Arcot
12 9	12 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22 2	23 2	S. Arcot
18 12	18 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23 1	23 1	Tanjore
12 9	11 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 3	27 —	Trichinopoly
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23 13	23 13	Southern— Tinnevely
15 —	15 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	16 8	16 8	Madura
14 —	14 —	8 —	8 —	3 12	3 12	17 4	17 4	Mysore— Mysore
18 —	17 —	15 8	16 —	7 8	7 —	18 —	18 —	Bangalore
...	10 3	10 3	8 15	9 5	32 —	32 —	Coorg— Coorg
...	Aden

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Calcutta, March 20, 1913.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.
PLAGUE.

Delhi, the 27th March 1913.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 22nd March 1913 is published for general information:—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI	...	Delhi City . . . . .	...	...
		Delhi-Rural area	18	23
		TOTAL	18	23
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Northern	Bombay City	145	119
		Ahmedabad City . . . . .	...	...
		Ahmedabad District . . . . .	...	...
		Broach Port . . . . .	...	...
		Broach District . . . . .	...	...
		Kaira " . . . . .	...	...
		Mahi Kantha Agency . . . . .	...	...
		Palanpur " . . . . .	...	...
		Bewa Kantha "	8 (a)	7 (a)
		Bulsar Port . . . . .	...	...
		Surat Town and Port . . . . .	...	...
		Rander Port . . . . .	...	...
		Surat District	25	13
		Surat Agency . . . . .	...	...
		Bhiwadi Port	2	1
		Bandra "	9	6
		Mahim " . . . . .	...	...
		Bassein "	1	...
		Sanjan " . . . . .	...	...
		Thana " . . . . .	...	...
		Chirav " . . . . .	...	...
		Chinchani " . . . . .	...	2
		Tarapur " . . . . .	...	...
		Ghiwali " . . . . .	...	...
		Joo " . . . . .	...	...
		Thana District . . . . .	...	...
	Central	Ahmednagar District . . . . .	...	...
		West Khandesh . . . . .	...	...
		East Khandesh District . . . . .	...	...
		Nasik District . . . . .	...	...
		Poona City	10	6
		Poona District	8	6
		Satara "	18	17
		Sholapur Town . . . . .	...	...
		Sholapur District . . . . .	...	...

(a) For two weeks ending 22nd March 1913.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.	
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND.	Southern	Panvel Port . . . . .	...	...
		Allibag "	8	2	
		Kolaba District	2	2	
		Vengurla Port	8	...	
		Ratnagiri District . . . . .	...	...
		Belgaum "	•	•	
		Hubli Town	1	1	
		Dharwar District	15	11	
		Kanara " . . . . .	...	...
		Bijapur "	11	11	
		Bijapur Agency . . . . .	...	...
		Savantvadi State . . . . .	...	...
	Sind	Karachi Town and Port	7	6	
		Karachi District . . . . .	...	...
		Sukkur " . . . . .	...	...
		Larkana " . . . . .	...	...
	Political Charges	Baroda State	15 (a)	8 (a)	
		Cutch "	27	28	
		Porbandar Port . . . . .	...	...
		Kathiawar Agency	2	2	
		Kolhapur and Southern Maratha Country	81	54	
		Satara Agency . . . . .	...	...
		Savanur State . . . . .	...	...
		Sholapur Agency . . . . .	...	...
		Akalkot State . . . . .	...	...
		Janjira "	12	7	
		Murad Port . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL		408	309
		MADRAS PRESIDENCY	Anantapur District	2	...
			North Arcot "	75 (a)	53 (a)
	Bellary Town . . . . .		...	...
	Bellary Cantonment . . . . .		...	...
Bellary District	2 (b)		...		
Mangalore Town and Port	12		12		
South Canara District . . . . .	...		...
Tanjore District . . . . .	...		...
Chittoor "	1		1		
Coimbatore Town	5 (b)		3		
Coimbatore District	10 (b)		7 (b)		
Cuddapah " . . . . .	...		...
Ganjam " . . . . .	...		...
Kistna "	1 (b)		...		
Godavari " . . . . .	...		...
Vizagapatam "	1 (b)		1 (b)		
The Nilgiris " . . . . .	...		...
Malabar "	3		2		
Salem "	3		2		
TOTAL			115	83	

• Report not received.

(a) Between the 15th and the 21st March 1918.

(b) One imported. (c) Two imported.

In the return for the week ending 15th March 1918 against Hubli Town read 4 cases for 20 cases.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BENGAL	Burdwan	Burdwan District . . . . .	...	2
		Birbhum . . . . .	...	1
		Bankura . . . . .	...	...
		Hooghly District . . . . .	...	...
		Howrah Town . . . . .	...	...
		Howrah District . . . . .	...	...
	Presidency	24 Parganahs . . . . .	...	...
		Calcutta	44	43
	Dacca	Dacca Town . . . . .	...	...
		Dacca District . . . . .	...	...
		Mymensingh District . . . . .	...	...
		Faridpur District . . . . .	...	...
	Chittagong	Noakhali District . . . . .	...	...
	Rajshahi	Jalpaiguri District . . . . .	...	...
		Pabna District . . . . .	...	...
	TOTAL		44	46
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	Patna Town	8	20
		Patna District	843	329
		Gaya Town	39	39
		" District	20	18
		Shahabad District . . . . .	...	...
	Tirhut	Saran District	682	485
		Musaffarpur District . . . . .	...	...
		Darbhanga District	124	84
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr Town . . . . .	...	...
		Monghyr District	446	410
		Bhagalpur Town	7	3
		Bhagalpur District	21	14
		Champan "	32	24
	Chota Nagpur.	Sonthal Parganas	10	...
		Manbhum District	2	...
	TOTAL		1,534	1,363
UNITED PROVINCES	Meerut	Saharanpur City	1	...
		Saharanpur District	12	10
		Musaffarnagar "	109	109
		Meerut City	55	53
		Meerut District	216	140
		Bulandshahr District	5	4
	Agra	Muttra District	80	74
		Mainpuri "	30	11
		Etah "	26	18

The following corrections should be made in the return for the week ending 15th March 1913 :—
 Patna District read 29 deaths for 237 deaths.
 Gaya district read 60 deaths for 20 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
United Provinces	Aldi-khand	Bareilly City	36	26
		Bareilly District	16	15
		Bijnor "	2	2
		Budaun "	1	1
		Moradabad City	35	25
		Moradabad District	26	20
		Shahjahanpur City	8	28
		Shahjahanpur District	2	2
		Pilibhit "	14	12
		Farrukhabad City	58	57
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad District	158	91
		Etawah "	39	39
		Cawnpore City	266	245
		Cawnpore District	123	111
		Fatehpur "	1	1
		Allahabad City	123	110
		Allahabad District . . . . .	...	...
		Jhansi City	35	33
		Jhansi District	30	28
		Jalaun "	22	18
	Benares	Benares "	85	85
		Mirzapur City	18	17
		Mirzapur District	219	219
		Jaunpur "	506	440
		Ghasipur "	298	274
	Gorakh-pur	Ballia "	296	196
		Gorakhpur District	314	221
		Asamgarh "	839	767
	Kumaun	Naini Tal District	12	12
		Garhwal " . . . . .	...	...
	Lucknow	Lucknow City	145	146
		Lucknow District	191	191
		Unao "	366	353
		Reo Bareilly "	334	276
		Sitapur " . . . . .	...	...
		Hardoi "	99	98
		Kheri "	9	2
		Fyzabad City	39	39
		Fyzabad District	126	124
		Gonda "	32	26
Fyzabad	Bahraich "	120	114	
	Sultanpur "	85	56	
	Partabgarh District	18	12	
	Bara Banki "	349	331	
	TOTAL		6,034	5,271
	PUNJAB.	Ambala	Hissar District
Gurgaon "			280	251
Rohtak "			102	76
Karnal "			128	128
Ambala " . . . . .			...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50 000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Jullundur	Hoshiarpur District	15	15
		Jullundur "	16	
		Ludhiana "	4	2
		Ferozepore "	19	6
	Lahore	Amritsar City	1	1
		Amritsar District	...	...
		Gurdaspur "	46	40
		Sialkot "	29	27
	Rawalpindi	Gujrat District	54	30
		Shahpur District	1	...
		Jhelum "	37	14
		Rawalpindi District	...	...
	Multan	Montgomery District	...	...
		Jhang "	...	...
		Musaffargarh "	...	...
		Patiala City	...	...
		Patiala State	97	95
		Kapurthala State	5	5
		Jind State	50	38
		Nabha "	...	...
		Patandl State	...	...
	Kalsia State	...	...
TOTAL			881	737
BURMA.	Pegu	Rangoon Town	...	...
		Insein District	1	1
		Tharrawaddy District	4	4
		Pegu District	15	14
		Prome "	...	...
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	22	19
		Bassein District	2	2
		Hensada	...	...
		Myaungmya District	...	...
		Maubin "	8	7
	Toungoo	Pyawou "	19	17
		Amherst District	1	1
		Toungoo "	8	7
		Thatou "	...	...
	Magwe	Moulmein Town	19	18
		Thayetmyo District	...	...
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town	...	...
		Maymyo Town	...	...
		Bhamo District	7	7
		Katha "	...	...
	Meiktila	Meiktila District	8	...
		Yamethin "	...	...
		Kyaukse "	...	...
TOTAL			114	97

The following corrections should be made in the return for the week ending 15th March 1918 :—

Rangoon Town read 27 cases for 20 cases.
 Pegu district " 17 deaths for nil.
 Toungoo " " 18 cases 13 deaths for nil.
 Thatou " " 11 " 11 " "

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL PROVINCES.	Nagpur	Nagpur Town . . . . .	...	...
		Nagpur District	42	34
		Bhandara Town	7	1
		Bhandara District	1	1
		Chanda " . . . . .	...	...
	Jubbulpore	Jubbulpore District	16	6
	Berar	Yestmal District . . . . .	...	1
		Akola	2	2
	TOTAL		68	48
	Coorg	Coorg . . . . .	...	...
	TOTAL		...	...
MYSORE STATE.	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	23	30
		Bangalore City	2	1
		Bangalore District	15	8
		Mysore City . . . . .	...	...
		Mysore District . . . . .	...	...
		Hassan " . . . . .	...	...
		Kadur "	1	3
		Kolar "	4	2
		Kolar Gold Fields	4	2
		Tumkur District . . . . .	...	...
		Shimoga "	4	2
		Chitaldroug " . . . . .	...	...
	TOTAL		62	49
	HYDERABAD STATE.	Usmanabad District . . . . .	...	1
		Batohur " . . . . .	...	...
		Aurangabad "	1	2
		Nizamabad " . . . . .	...	...
		Gulbargah "	1	3
		Bidar " . . . . .	...	...
		Parbham " . . . . .	...	...
		Atrafbaldah " Sarf-4-khas . . . . .	...	...
		Nander " . . . . .	...	...
		Hyderabad City and suburbs . . . . .	...	...
		Bir District . . . . .	...	...
		Adilabad District . . . . .	...	...
		Medak " . . . . .	...	...
		Nalgondah " . . . . .	...	...
		Warangal " . . . . .	...	...
		Karimnagar District . . . . .	...	...
		Mahbubnagar " . . . . .	...	...
	TOTAL		2 (a)	6 (a)

(a) From the 10th to the 16th March 1918.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL INDIA		Nowgong . . . . .	...	...
		Indore City . . . . .	...	...
		Indore State . . . . .	...	...
		Indore Residency Bazar . . . . .	...	...
		Ujjain City . . . . .	...	...
		Ujjain District . . . . .	...	...
		Gwalior State . . . . .	...	...
		Datia " . . . . .	...	...
		Rutlam " . . . . .	...	...
		Mhow Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Dewas (Senior Branch) Town . . . . .	...	...
		Dewas State (Senior Branch) . . . . .	...	...
		Dewas State (Junior Branch) . . . . .	...	...
		Neemuch Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Piploda State . . . . .	...	...
		Jaora " . . . . .	...	...
		Dhar " . . . . .	...	...
		Bagli " . . . . .	...	...
		Sailana " . . . . .	...	...
		Jhabua " . . . . .	...	...
		Manpur . . . . .	...	...
		Malwa State . . . . .	...	...
		Malwa Prant of Gwalior . . . . .	...	...
		Kurwai State . . . . .	...	...
		Rajgarh " . . . . .	...	...
		Sehore Agency Limits . . . . .	...	...
		Sehore Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Bhopal City . . . . .	...	...
		Bhopal State	2	3
		Rewa " . . . . .	...	...
		Nagode " . . . . .	...	...
		Mailhar " . . . . .	...	...
		Barwani " . . . . .	...	...
		Morar Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Sitaman State . . . . .	...	...
		Sohawal " . . . . .	...	...
		Narsingarh " . . . . .	...	...
		Orchha " . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL	2 (a)	3 (a)
RAJPU- TANA AND AJMER- MER- WARA		Ohitor . . . . .	...	...
		Udaipur City . . . . .	...	...
		Jodhpur City . . . . .	...	...
		Marwar (Jodhpur) State . . . . .	...	...
		Jaipur City	2	14
		Jaipur State	30	6
		Dholpur City . . . . .	...	...

(a) For the week ending 15th March 1918.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
RAJPU- TANA AND AJMER- MER- WARA		Tonk State . . . . .	...	...
		Tonk Pargana Nimbahera . . . . .	...	...
		Partabgarh Town . . . . .	...	...
		Partabgarh State . . . . .	...	...
		Kishangarh .. . . .	...	...
		Beawar . . . . .	...	...
		Karauli City . . . . .	...	...
		Abu Road . . . . .	...	...
		Bharatpur City . . . . .	...	...
		Bharatpur State	86	64
		Alwar State	12	12
		Ajmer Town . . . . .	...	...
		Shahpura Town . . . . .	...	...
		Sirohi State . . . . .	...	...
		Dungarper . . . . .	...	...
N.-W. F. PROVINCE		TOTAL	158 (a)	126 (a)
		Peshawar Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Dera Ismail Khan . . . . .	...	...
KASHMIR		TOTAL	...	...
		Mirpur District . . . . .	...	...
		Kathua " . . . . .	...	...
		Jammu Province	11	7
		TOTAL	11	7
		BALU- CHISTAN		Bombaim
Hiroh
Sibi
Fort Sandeman
Ormara (Las Bela State)
TOTAL		
GRAND TOTAL			9,449	8,176

(a) For the week ending 21st March 1918

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

(TELEGRAPHS.)

**CORRECTION MEMORANDUM TO THE ADMINISTRATION REPORT OF
THE INDO-EUROPEAN TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR
1911-12.**

RESOLUTION.

Simla, the 25th March 1913.

READ—

Correction Memorandum to the Administration Report of the Indo-European Telegraph Department for the year 1911-12.

Ordered that copies of the Correction Memorandum be forwarded to the Home and Finance Departments, the Government of Bombay and the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, for information, with reference to the Resolution of the Government of India, in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 9112—9116-184, dated Simla, the 10th December 1912.

Ordered, also, that the Memorandum be published in the Supplement to the Gazette of India.

R. E. ENTHOVEN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

Correction Memorandum to the Administration Report of the Indo-European Telegraph Department, for the year 1911-12, necessitated by adjustments since made in India.

Page 3, paragraph 1. Capital:—

Lines 2 and 3. *For* Rs. 38,358 and Rs. 1,50,37,849 *read* Rs. 38,600 and Rs. 1,50,38,091 respectively.

Clause (iv) (b), (Other Suspense, *for* Rs. 14,409 *read* Rs. 14,651.

Total, *for* Rs. 38,358 *read* Rs. 38,600.

Against sub-paragraph (iv) Suspense, line 3, *for* Rs. 14,409 *read* Rs. 14,651.

Paragraph 2. Revenue:—

Lines 1 and 2. *For* Rs. 19,77,241 and Rs. 1,51,933 *read* Rs. 19,77,329 and Rs. 1,52,021 respectively.

Line 3. *For* Rs. 10,89,966 and Rs. 31,343 *read* Rs. 10,90,646 and Rs. 30,663 respectively.

Page 4, line 1. *For* Rs. 8,87,275 *read* Rs. 8,86,683.

Paragraph 3. Earnings:—

Against Miscellaneous Revenue under columns "1911-12" and "Decrease," *for* Rs. 14,689 and 6,986 *read* Rs. 14,777 and 6,898 respectively, also against Total, *for* Rs. 19,77,241 and 9,992 *read* Rs. 19,77,329 and 9,904 respectively. Against Nett Increase, *for* Rs. 1,51,933 *read* Rs. 1,52,021.

Expenditure—Persian Gulf Section:—

Against Line Maintenance under columns "1911-12" and "Decrease," *for* Rs. 75,106 and Rs. 95 *read* Rs. 75,126 and Rs. 75 respectively.

Against Signalling under columns "1911-12" and "Increase," *for* Rs. 2,64,037 and Rs. 8,815 *read* Rs. 2,64,041 and 8,819 respectively.

Against Cable Maintenance under columns "1911-12" and "Decrease," *for* Rs. 1,94,194 and 16,182 *read* Rs. 1,95,004 and Rs. 15,372 respectively.

Persian Section:—

Against General Charges under columns "1911-12" and "Decrease," *for* Rs. 1,44,398 and 10,861 *read* Rs. 1,44,294 and 10,965 respectively, and against Line Maintenance under columns "1911-12" and "Decrease," *for* Rs. 1,02,590 and Rs. 12,549 *read* Rs. 1,02,565 and Rs. 12,574 respectively.

Against Signalling under columns "1911-12" and "Increase," *for* Rs. 1,68,277 and Rs. 5,024 *read* Rs. 1,68,252 and Rs. 4,999 respectively.

Against Total under columns "1911-12," "Increase" and "Decrease," for Rs. 10,89,966, Rs. 13,889, and Rs. 45,183 read Rs. 10,90,646, Rs. 13,818, and Rs. 44,481 respectively.

Against Nett Decrease, for Rs. 31,348 read Rs. 30,668.

Page 5, Paragraph 4.

Lines 1 and 2. For Rs. 1,50,37,849, Rs. 8,87,275 and Rs. 590 read Rs. 1,50,38,091, Rs. 8,86,688 and Rs. 5,896 respectively.

Against 1911-12, for Rs. 5,900 read Rs. 5,896.

Page 10. Appendix A:—

Persian Gulf Section. Against "Sales" under Debits for both the columns "India" and "Total," for Rs. 2,212 read Rs. 2,300.

Against Total Gulf Section under columns "India" and "Total," for Rs. 52,400 and Rs. 1,48,754 read Rs. 52,488 and Rs. 1,48,842 respectively, and in column 6, for Rs. 27,103 read Rs. 27,191. Persian Section, against Suspense head "Advances" for both the column "India" and "Total," for Rs. 51,224 read Rs. 51,378, and in column 6, for Rs. 11,255 read Rs. 11,409. Against Total Persian Section, columns 2, 4, and 5, for Rs. 54,512 read Rs. 54,666.

In column 7, for Rs. 38,358 read Rs. 38,600, and against Grand Total, for Rs. 1,50,37,849 read Rs. 1,50,38,091.

Page 11. Appendix B:—

Column 1 under Earnings.—Miscellaneous Receipts, against India—under Gulf, for Rs. 5,004 read Rs. 5,092, and against Total, for Rs. 5,004 read Rs. 5,092. In column 3, for Rs. 14,689 read Rs. 14,777, against "Grand Total," for Rs. 19,77,241 read Rs. 19,77,329.

Under "Expenditure," Persian Gulf Section.

Under columns "India" and "Total" against Line Maintenance, for Rs. 75,106 read Rs. 75,126; against Cable Maintenance, for Rs. 1,94,194 read Rs. 1,95,004, against Signalling, for Rs. 2,64,037 read Rs. 2,64,041, and against Total Gulf, for Rs. 6,43,048 and Rs. 6,70,647 read Rs. 6,43,882 and Rs. 6,71,481 respectively. Persian Section, under columns "India" and "Total," against General Charges, for Rs. 1,28,163 and Rs. 1,44,398 read Rs. 1,28,059 and Rs. 1,44,294 respectively. Against Line Maintenance, for Rs. 1,02,590 read Rs. 1,02,565, and against Signalling, for Rs. 1,67,677 and Rs. 1,68,277 read Rs. 1,67,652 and Rs. 1,68,252, against Total, for Rs. 3,93,480 and Rs. 4,15,265 read Rs. 3,98,276 and Rs. 4,15,111 respectively.

Against Indo-European Telegraph Department, under columns "India" and "Total," for Rs. 10,41,478 and Rs. 10,85,912 read Rs. 10,42,158 and Rs. 10,86,592 respectively.

In last column, for Rs. 10,89,966 read Rs. 10,90,646. Against "By balance," for Rs. 8,87,275 read Rs. 8,86,688, and against Grand Total, for Rs. 19,77,241 read Rs. 19,77,329.

Page 12. Appendix B (i):—

"1911-12," against General Charges under columns "Office Expenses," "Total as per Finance Accounts," and "Total as per Administrative Accounts, etc.," for Rs. 10,318, 2,81,708, and 2,85,762 read Rs. 10,214, 2,81,604 and 2,85,658 respectively.

Against Line Maintenance, under columns "Office Expenses," "Repairs to Lines and Buildings," "Total as per Finance Accounts," and "Total as per Administrative Accounts, etc.," for Rs. 7,128, 43,622, 1,77,696, and 1,77,696 read Rs. 7,108, 43,637, 1,77,691, and Rs. 1,77,691 respectively.

Against Cable Maintenance, under columns "Repairs to Cables," "Cable Steamer," "Total as per Finance Accounts," and "Total as per Administrative Accounts, etc.," for Rs. 56,266, 1,18,698, 1,94,194, and 1,94,194 read Rs. 56,271, 1,19,503, 1,95,004, and 1,95,004 respectively.

Against Signalling, under columns "Office Expenses," "Total as per Finance Accounts," and "Total as per Administrative Accounts, etc.," for Rs. 54,482, 4,32,314 and 4,32,314 read Rs. 54,461, 4,32,293, and 4,32,293, respectively.

Against Total, under columns "Office Expenses," "Repairs to Lines and Buildings," "Repairs to Cables," "Cable Steamer," "Total as per Finance Accounts," and "Total as per Administrative Accounts, etc.," for Rs. 72,072, 65,333, 56,266, 1,18,698, 10,85,912, and 10,89,966 read Rs. 71,927, 65,348, 56,271, 1,19,503, 10,86,592, and 10,90,646 respectively.

Page 15. Appendix D:—

"1911-12." Under columns "Capital Expenditure," "Total Capital Expenditure," "Miscellaneous Revenue," "Total Earnings," "Persian Gulf Section," "Persian Section," "Total Expenditure," "Nett Profit," and "Dividend on Capital," for Rs. 38,358, 1,50,37,849, 14,689, 19,77,241, 6,70,647, 4,15,265, 10,89,966, 8,87,275, and 5,90 read Rs. 38,600, 1,50,38,091, 14,777, 19,77,329, 6,71,481, 4,15,111, 10,90,646, 8,86,688, and 5,896 respectively.

R. C. BARKER,
Director-in-Chief.

12th February 1913.

**Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian
Railways.**

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.
(RAILWAY BOARD.)

Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

N.B.—As regards the figures in column *Total earnings*, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RAILWAYS.	AVERAGE EARNINGS PER MILE PER WEEK.		MEAN MILEAGE WORKED.		TOTAL EARNINGS FOR WEEK ENDING.		EARNINGS PER MILE OPEN FOR WEEK.		TOTAL EARNINGS FROM 1st JANUARY TO 15th MARCH 1913.		INCREASE.		DECREASE.		TOTAL EARNINGS FROM 1st APRIL TO 15th MARCH 1913.		INCREASE.		DECREASE.	
	During 1st half of 1912.	During official year 1911-12.	1912.	1913.	15th March 1912.	15th March 1913.	1912.	1913.	15th March 1912.	15th March 1913.	Ra.	Rs.	Ra.	Rs.	15th March 1912.	15th March 1913.	Ra.	Rs.	Ra.	Rs.
	Ra.	Ra.	Miles.	Miles.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.
State and Guaranteed Railways.																				
Penal-Nagpur (including 2' 6" gauge lines)	312	267	2,494	2,495	7,90,071	8,87,000	317	355	86,77,942	89,74,000	2,96,058	...	...	...	3,31,98,241	3,87,88,000	55,94,759	...	...	...
Benwada Extension	372	320	21	21	7,736	6,200	368	286	79,160	78,400	...	...	...	...	3,27,586	3,62,000	34,414	...	...	...
Bombay, Baroda and Central India.	739	741	946	946	6,69,920	6,98,000	708	738	75,49,898	75,04,000	...	...	...	...	3,06,85,917	3,11,31,000	4,45,083	...	...	...
Eastern Bengal (including 3' 3½" and 2' 6" gauge lines)	382	415	1,534	1,570	6,16,504	6,45,000	402	411	67,84,866	72,13,000	4,48,134	...	...	...	3,10,77,214	3,33,73,000	22,95,786	...	...	...
East Indian	810	761	2,392	2,472	19,11,599	20,58,000	799	833	2,02,24,014	2,15,39,000	13,14,986	...	...	...	8,85,35,785	9,82,20,000	96,84,215	...	...	...
Great Indian Peninsula (including Indian Midland)	681	586	2,473	2,472	17,09,876	17,58,000	691	711	1,98,21,347	1,99,94,000	6,72,653	...	...	...	7,14,31,832	7,69,54,000	55,22,168	...	...	...
Agra-Delhi Chord	372	354	126	126	54,910	55,500	436	440	5,82,080	5,28,000	...	...	...	...	23,20,461	21,38,000	...	...	...	...
Baran-Kotah	102	85	40	40	3,573	4,100	89	102	40,703	37,200	...	...	...	...	1,68,304	1,78,000	9,696	...	...	...
Bhopal-Itarsi	499	454	57	57	28,484	35,500	600	630	2,96,593	4,28,000	1,31,407	...	...	...	12,79,799	16,83,000	4,03,201	...	...	...
Madras and Southern Mahratta (including 3' 3½" gauge lines)	282	252	2,585	2,585	7,60,715	7,91,000	294	306	72,48,874	76,51,000	4,02,126	...	...	...	3,21,47,552	3,41,75,000	20,27,448	...	...	...
North-Western (including 2' 6" gauge lines)	479	427	3,806	3,806	18,83,884	15,80,000	495	415	1,96,26,209	1,65,40,000	...	...	...	...	7,88,20,682	8,48,63,000	60,42,318	...	...	...
Oudh and Rohilkhand (including Cawnpore-Burhwal 3' 3½" link)	325	295	1,579	1,603	4,73,423	4,59,000	300	281	49,97,215	47,15,000	...	...	...	...	2,01,80,194	2,29,81,000	28,00,806	...	...	...
Hardwar-Dehra	292	273	32	32	10,605	9,000	391	291	84,164	89,200	3,036	...	...	...	4,23,789	4,13,000	...	...	...	...
Assam-Bengal	145	141	780	805	1,26,611	1,39,000	160	160	13,07,522	14,05,000	97,478	...	...	...	54,71,925	62,23,000	7,51,175	...	...	...
Burma	335	267	1,529	1,545	4,72,828	5,77,000	309	373	57,01,240	61,10,000	4,08,760	...	...	...	2,00,05,647	2,11,43,000	11,37,353	...	...	...
Jodhpur-Hyderabad (British Section)	208	198	124	124	22,839	25,000	185	202	2,80,679	2,88,000	7,321	...	...	...	12,03,297	13,09,000	82,703	...	...	...
Lucknow-Hareilly	167	163	254	298	42,293	53,000	166	178	4,74,829	5,59,000	84,171	...	...	...	19,24,648	22,54,000	3,29,352	...	...	...
Mysore (including Kolar Gold Fields, 6' 6")	165	147	411	411	67,079	79,500	163	193	6,70,797	7,58,000	1,27,203	...	...	...	29,89,302	34,88,000	4,98,698	...	...	...
Rajputana-Malwa	363	317	1,826	1,838	6,68,170	5,99,000	366	338	70,26,240	65,87,000	...	...	...	...	2,80,89,706	2,96,21,000	15,31,294	...	...	...
South Indian (including 5' 6" and 2' 6" gauge lines)	379	350	1,396	1,396	4,98,953	5,34,000	357	382	52,44,304	54,10,000	1,65,696	...	...	...	2,42,41,244	2,60,69,000	18,27,756	...	...	...
Travancore Branch	141	139	103	108	13,479	14,700	135	136	1,59,400	1,57,000	6,600	...	...	...	7,47,354	7,90,000	42,646	...	...	...
Tirhoot	255	226	769	792	1,84,816	1,94,000	240	245	20,32,521	20,51,000	29,479	...	...	...	86,87,625	84,14,000	7,26,375	...	...	...
Jorhat (Provincial)	74	75	32	33	3,038	2,700	31	34	23,585	24,700	1,115	...	...	...	1,10,458	1,14,000	3,542	...	...	...

All other Railways.

	171	168	56	50	9,433	8,000	168	143	85,777	96,000	10,223	...	459,679	5,07,000	47,321	...
Amritsar-Patti-Kanur	200	167	114	114	23,163	17,500	304	153	2,04,042	1,99,000	...	...	9,32,145	10,15,000	82,855	...
Bhopal-Ujjain	72	54	148	148	11,475	10,900	74	74	1,11,014	1,13,000	1,986	...	3,89,983	4,99,900	1,09,017	...
Bina-Gaons-Baran	314	326	192	192	64,768	69,700	337	311	6,02,983	6,24,000	21,107	...	31,05,816	30,99,000	6,816	...
Delhi-Kanpur-Kalka	81	119	16	16	1,889	2,000	118	125	1,12,799	18,500	7,221	...	88,084	84,300	3,784	...
Jammu-Kashmir (Nasir State Section)	...	...	...	...	...	3,000	...	91	...	20,900	20,900	...	...	20,900	...	...
Jullunder Doab (e)	25	21	22	22	408	500	19	23	5,766	5,400	...	...	...	27,600	8,973	...
Khanpur-Chauri	179	158	79	79	14,344	13,000	182	165	1,85,142	1,26,000	...	...	6,52,971	6,72,000	19,029	...
Ludhiana-Dhuri-Jakhal	229	172	34	34	9,660	8,700	264	256	75,237	66,200	...	...	2,81,289	2,89,000	7,711	...
Nagda-Ujjain	352	330	334	334	1,20,775	1,29,000	323	306	12,45,389	13,18,000	22,081	...	58,51,325	56,84,000	2,32,675	...
Nizam's Guaranteed State	207	175	34	34	7,476	7,000	220	206	70,416	62,900	...	...	7,416	2,88,000	...	...
Pelad-Cambay	414	294	108	108	35,251	34,000	395	315	4,26,600	3,80,000	...	...	2,92,828	19,05,000	2,58,664	...
Rajpura-Uthanda	267	257	425	425	1,28,245	90,000	302	212	16,08,054	11,67,000	...	...	16,46,386	19,05,000	...	...
Southern Punjab	149	147	155	155	29,005	22,000	187	142	2,68,011	2,47,000	...	...	56,19,274	11,04,000	23,137	...
Sutlej Valley	46	48	209	209	10,625	10,000	51	48	1,12,394	1,13,000	606	...	5,02,914	4,92,000	...	...
Tanti Valley	213	153	155	155	35,427	29,500	229	190	3,98,813	2,85,000	...	...	12,04,862	13,03,000	...	...
Tartar	375	328	23	22	7,424	7,300	337	332	87,313	73,800	...	...	3,58,771	3,56,000	98,138	...
Ahmedabad-Dholka	92	78	24	24	3,052	2,800	90	82	30,973	27,100	...	...	1,30,724	1,23,000	...	...
Ahmedabad-Parantij (including Brahmad	88	77	89	89	8,176	7,700	92	87	77,787	69,600	...	...	3,47,090	3,20,000	...	...
Bengal and North-Western	203	170	1174	1,180	2,26,420	2,39,000	195	208	24,55,803	23,51,000	...	...	98,75,887	1,05,93,000	7,17,108	...
Bengal-Doon	155	157	158	153	22,451	20,000	147	131	2,59,091	2,56,000	...	...	11,88,871	13,75,000	...	...
Berwara-Maunipatam	182	114	52	52	6,664	7,400	129	142	75,913	69,800	...	...	2,92,289	3,10,000	1,86,129	...
Bhavnagar (including Dhrangadra)	181	169	179	194	81,377	85,600	175	183	3,87,896	3,66,000	18,604	...	14,92,023	14,78,000	17,711	...
Gondal-Forbandar (including Jethalar-Rajkot)	136	122	194	211	26,160	29,800	135	141	2,82,933	3,22,000	39,467	...	11,73,124	12,81,000	57,856	...
Jamnagar	93	89	54	54	6,312	6,800	117	111	54,543	49,000	4,957	...	2,39,019	2,32,000	7,019	...
Junagadh	131	105	87	113	11,910	13,800	137	122	1,33,432	1,30,000	...	...	4,64,197	5,03,000	38,003	...
Coch Behar	153	152	33	33	5,369	6,500	163	197	56,684	58,800	2,116	...	2,48,516	2,61,000	12,484	...
Dibru-Sadiya	286	304	86	86	24,586	26,000	286	302	2,69,993	2,80,000	10,007	...	11,66,243	12,02,000	95,757	...
Gaskwar's Mehana (including Vijapur-Kaloi-Kadi)	99	89	179	184	20,167	17,100	113	93	1,96,874	1,61,000	...	...	7,80,652	7,13,000	...	...
Hyderabad-Godavari Valley	250	185	393	442	96,209	96,300	245	218	11,04,248	10,89,000	...	...	35,66,958	41,98,000	63,042	...
Jaipur	95	75	73	73	6,810	5,500	80	75	63,927	57,300	...	...	2,68,879	2,92,000	23,121	...
Jodhpur-Bikaner	120	132	910	995	1,01,296	1,00,000	111	101	11,58,536	11,13,000	...	...	50,32,566	52,38,000	...	...
Kolhapur	244	202	29	29	8,193	8,300	283	266	87,996	81,500	...	...	2,86,368	2,93,000	2,05,414	...
Mirpur Khair-Iludo (e)	36	28	100	100	3,772	6,500	38	38	87,448	63,400	25,852	...	1,07,512	1,94,000	6,632	...
Morvi (including Vankar-Morvi, 2' 6" gauge)	166	144	93	93	14,427	11,900	155	128	1,67,237	1,17,000	...	...	6,65,026	1,94,000	86,488	...
Mynensingh-Jamalpur-Jagannathganj	130	141	55	55	8,729	9,000	159	144	97,032	95,800	...	...	3,81,572	3,75,000	23,026	...
Rohilkund and Kumaon	146	178	268	268	144,173	41,400	165	154	4,02,100	4,23,000	20,000	...	16,77,967	20,16,000	9,572	...
Sangli	161	174	5	5	1,103	1,000	221	200	3,818	4,200	...	...	42,928	36,700	3,87,643	...
Shoranur-Cochin	196	188	65	65	12,915	14,100	199	217	1,29,817	1,35,000	5,181	...	5,85,781	6,05,000	16,219	...
Tanjore District Board	179	187	103	103	17,964	19,300	174	187	1,65,730	1,72,000	6,270	...	7,88,778	8,70,000	71,223	...
Udaipur-Chitorgarh	86	78	67	67	6,132	5,700	93	85	52,653	63,200	617	...	2,57,723	2,92,000	...	...
Bar	196	151	116	116	27,240	20,600	235	178	2,53,153	2,42,000	...	...	8,06,311	9,44,000	34,577	...
Champaner Shivrajpur	90	75	20	20	2,240	2,100	112	105	19,428	18,500	...	...	73,011	81,700	1,37,689	...
Gaskwar's Dabhoi	130	138	118	118	16,177	14,300	137	131	1,80,306	1,39,000	...	...	6,41,234	5,30,000	8,089	...
Kosambi-Bankare (d)	84	...	...	...	...	300	...	11	...	3,270	3,200	...	1,21,671	1,06,000	16,200	...
Rajpura	80	66	37	37	2,282	2,100	62	57	37,443	29,100	...	...	...	1,06,000	...	...
Darjeeling Himalayan	419	394	51	51	22,486	18,000	441	353	1,87,303	1,74,000	600	...	9,90,207	10,57,000	68,783	...
Pipar-Bilera (e)	...	...	...	25	...	300	...	12	...	600	...	...	...	600	...	...
TOTAL	188	170	6,919	7,206	12,95,154	12,40,500	187	172	1,38,12,828	1,30,73,200	...	...	5,55,96,104	5,85,97,000	30,01,896	...
GRAND TOTAL	361	347	32,245	32,770	1,23,16,515	1,24,26,100	382	379	13,11,08,760	13,17,53,700	6,44,940	...	69,86,71,576	69,42,76,000	14,47,04,434	...

(a) Opened from 1st January 1913.

(b) From 2nd July 1911.

(c) Including Khadro section opened from January 1912.

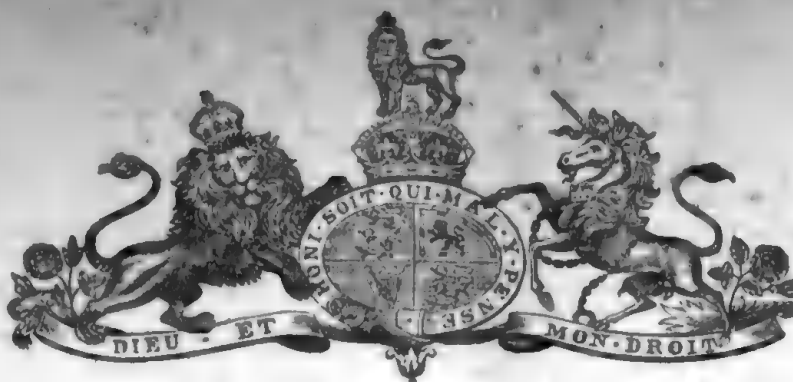
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(d) Opened from 1st June 1912.

Since the 27th March 1913.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 3rd April 1913, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. A few falls of snow occurred in Kashmir and local rainfall in Assam, Bengal, Burma and the south of the Peninsula. Dry weather prevailed elsewhere.

2. *Burma.*—Rain fell at Myitkyina on the 30th March, at Lashio and Bhamo on the 1st April, and at Lashio on the 2nd.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Rainfall occurred on most days in Assam. Chittagong had a light shower on the 30th March, and rain fell at Narayanganj and Darjiling on the 2nd April.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—Weather was dry.

Northwest India.—Light precipitation occurred in Kashmir on the 27th and 28th March, at Murree on the 27th and at Sonamarg on the 2nd April.

The Peninsula.—Rain fell locally in the south on the 28th and 29th March and the 2nd April.

3. The chief daily falls of rain were as follows:—

March 27th. Silchar 1'34".

" 28th. Kodaikanal 2'94".

" 29th. Cherrapunji 3'25", Silchar 3'05" and Trivandrum 0'94".

" 30th. Myitkyina 0'92" and Silchar 2'13".

April 2nd. Victoria Point 1'32", Cherrapunji 1'65", Silchar 1'39", Narayanganj 1'20" and Mysore 0'75".

4. The rainfall of the week was more than 20 per cent in excess in Assam and Mysore, and was normal in Upper Burma and Malabar. It was more than 20 per cent in defect in all the remaining divisions, except in the following where absence of rain is a normal feature at this time of year; the United Provinces, Sind, Rajputana, Gujarat, Central India, the Konkan and the Madras Deccan.

The seasonal rainfall up to date is 20 per cent or more in excess in Assam, Bengal, Bihar, Chota Nagpur, the United Provinces, Baluchistan and the Central Provinces East. It is within 20 per cent of the normal in Upper Burma, Orissa, the Punjab Southwest, Sind, Central India East, the Central Provinces West and Malabar; and is 20 per cent or more in defect in the rest of the country. The deficiency amounts to 7½ inches in the Bay Islands, 4½ inches in Madras Southeast and 3 inches on the Madras Coast North.

Division.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 3RD APRIL 1913.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 30TH NOVEMBER 1912 TO 3RD APRIL 1913.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall of season to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	SEASONAL PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL.	
							This week.	Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands	0	0'3	-0'3	3'5	10'8	-7'3	- 68	- 67
Lower Burma	0	0'2	-0'2	1'3	1'9	-0'6	- 32	- 24
Upper Burma	0'1	0'1	0	1'3	1'1	+0'2	+ 18	+ 20
Assam	2'2	1'4	+0'8	9'0	6'9	+2'1	+ 30	+ 24
Bengal	0'1	0'4	-0'3	4'1	3'1	+1'0	+ 32	+ 48
Orissa	0	0'2	-0'2	3'7	3'2	+0'5	+ 16	+ 23
Chota Nagpur	0	0'1	-0'1	8'3	3'7	+4'6	+124	+131
Bihar	0	0'1	-0'1	2'4	1'9	+0'5	+ 26	+ 33
United Provinces, East	0	0	0	2'5	1'9	+0'6	+ 32	+ 32
United Provinces, West	0	0	0	4'1	3'2	+0'9	+ 28	+ 28
Punjab, East and North	0	0'2	-0'2	3'5	4'6	-1'1	- 24	- 20
Punjab, South-west	0	0'1	-0'1	2'0	2'2	-0'2	- 9	- 5
Kashmir	0'3	0'9	-0'6	9'5	12'0	-2'5	- 21	- 17
N. W. Frontier Province	0	0'4	-0'	2'2	4'3	-2'1	- 49	- 44
Baluchistan	0	0'2	-0'2	6'9	5'7	+1'2	+ 21	+ 25
Sind	0	0	0	1'0	1'0	0	0	0
Rajputana, West	0	0	0	0'3	0'9	-0'6	- 67	- 67
Rajputana, East	0	0	0	0'2	1'1	-0'9	- 82	- 82
Gujarat	0	0	0	0	0'1	-0'1	-100	-100
Central India, West	0	0	0	0	0'5	-0'5	-100	-100
Central India, East	0	0	0	2'4	2'4	0	0	0
Berar	0	0'1	-0'1	0'1	1'7	-1'6	- 94	- 94
Central Provinces, West	0	0'1	-0'1	1'6	1'9	-0'3	- 16	- 11
Central Provinces, East	0	0'2	-0'2	4'9	2'8	+2'1	+ 75	+ 88
Konkan	0	0	0	0	0'2	-0'2	-100	-100
Bombay Deccan	0	0'1	-0'1	0	0'7	-0'7	-100	-100
Hyderabad, North	0	0'1	-0'1	0'3	1'1	-0'8	- 73	- 70
Hyderabad, South	0	0'1	-0'1	0'1	1'1	-1'0	- 91	- 90
Mysore	0'3	0'1	+0'2	0'3	1'4	-1'1	- 79	-100
Malabar	0'3	0'3	0	3'2	3'6	-0'4	- 11	- 13
Madras, South-east	0	0'1	-0'1	2'9	7'4	-4'5	- 61	- 60
Madras Deccan	0	0	0	0	1'0	-1'0	-100	-100
Madras Coast, North	0	0'1	-0'1	0'3	3'1	-2'8	- 90	- 90

G. C. SIMPSON,
for Director General of Observatories.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

SIMLA;
Dated 3rd April 1913.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

**Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday,
29th March 1913.**

Burma.—No rain fell during the week. Cultivation of spring and summer rice and harvesting of island crops are proceeding normally. Farm stock is in good condition. The price of unhusked rice remains a little above normal.

Assam.—Slight to moderate rain fell in most districts and facilitated cultivating operations. A severe hailstorm occurred in Silchar causing damage to houses and trees. Ploughing for and sowing of early and late broadcast rice and jute and pressing of sugarcane are in progress. Pruning of tea is nearly finished and plucking has commenced. The average price of common rice has risen by 3 per cent. Cattle disease is reported from five districts.

Bengal.—During the week no rain fell throughout the Province except in parts of Chittagong. Prospects of standing crops are generally good. Harvesting of spring crops and pressing of sugarcane are approaching completion. The average price of common rice for the Province has risen by 1 per cent as compared with that of the previous week. Cattle disease is reported from Khulna and from parts of Rajshahi and Mymensingh.

Bihar and Orissa.—There was no rain during the week. The weather was seasonable. Harvesting of spring crops, planting of sugarcane and preparation of lands for the next season's crops are in progress. Pressing of sugarcane still continues in some districts. The condition of standing crops is good. The average price of common rice has risen slightly as compared with that of the previous week. The condition of cattle is on the whole good. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient all over the Province. Agricultural prospects in the Feudatory State of Orissa are on the whole good.

United Provinces.—The week was rainless. Harvesting of spring crops is in full swing. Extra crops are being sown, sugarcane planted and opium extracted. Prospects of the harvest are generally good. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Fodder and water are everywhere sufficient. In Mirzapur the numbers on test works have fallen to 1,130 and those on canal and water-works to 8,748. In the Benares State the numbers on relief works have risen to 2,047 and there are still 2,490 persons on gratuitous relief. Cattle disease still prevails in Bundelkhand but elsewhere continues to diminish. There is a distinct fall in the level of prices which is particularly marked in the case of spring grains.

Punjab.—The weather during the week was dry. The condition of irrigated spring crops is average to good and of unirrigated crops fair. Spring crops are being harvested in the Ambala division. The outturn of irrigated crops is generally average to good and of unirrigated crops below average. Sowing of extra spring crops and of sugarcane and cotton and ploughing for autumn crops continue. Cattle are generally healthy but fodder is insufficient in places. Prices remain high.

North-West Frontier Province.—Except slight showers in Hazara and Bannu the week was rainless. The weather at times was cloudy. The cold is decreasing. The condition of standing crops is generally good on irrigated and average on unirrigated areas. Sowing of sugarcane and extra spring crops is proceeding. The condition of cattle is good. The fodder and water-supply is generally sufficient. Prices are high but are falling slightly in Dera Ismail Khan.

Jammu.—Slight rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 10 to 16 and maize from 12 to 19 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is fair.

Cattle disease of mild type prevails in the Riasi tahsil. Fodder is insufficient in some tahsils.

Rajputana.—The weather is cool at night and pleasant in the day. Harvesting is in progress. Standing crops are in good condition. Prospects are generally fair. Cattle are in good condition. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prices are generally high but falling. The opium crop in Kishangarh is doing well.

Kashmir.—It rained twice during the week. Standing crops are in good condition. Prices of rice and maize are rising and those of other grains are stationary. No damage has been done to crops. Operations for autumn crops continue. Fodder is normal.

Central India.—The weather is clear with hot days and cool mornings. Harvesting of spring crops continues with outturn generally excellent. Ploughing for autumn crops is proceeding. Cattle disease prevails in parts of Gwalior, Indore, Bhopal, Bundelkhand and Bhopawar. The fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are normal in Bhopal and Baghelkhand, fluctuating in Indore and falling elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The weather has been clear and warm but the nights and mornings are still cool. Harvesting and threshing of spring crops still continue in most districts. Prospects are favourable. Fodder continues to be dear in the Sausar tahsil of the Chhindwara district and in Akola; both dear and scarce in Saugor and Wardha and scarce in the Mehkar taluka of the Buldana district. The supply of water is sufficient. Agricultural stock is in good condition. Gram fell in Chhindwara and rice rose in Bilaspur by two seers per rupee. Elsewhere prices of food grains remained stationary or fluctuated slightly.

Feudatory States.—Prospects of spring crops are generally good. Wheat sells cheaper by two seers per rupee in Sarangarh.

Bombay.—Standing spring crops are in good condition except in parts of the Upper Sind Frontier where they have been damaged slightly by adverse winds. Cotton has been damaged by insects in Radhanpur. Harvesting continues. Cotton picking is progressing in parts of Gujarat, West Khandesh, Satara, the Karnatak, Cutch and Rewa Kantha. Preparation of lands for autumn cultivation continues generally. The fodder supply is deficient in parts of Hyderabad and Ahmednagar. Agricultural stock is generally in good condition and sufficient except in parts of Cutch. The condition of stock is deteriorating in Ahmednagar. Drinking water is generally adequate except in parts of Ahmednagar, Sholapur and Bijapur. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of the Deccan and Bijapur. Prices are high and show a tendency to rise. The public health is generally good. Grain stocks are sufficient.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows:—

Distress is deepening in Ahmednagar. There is little wandering or emaciation yet. Three kitchens and eight poor houses continue to give relief. People on relief are generally in fair condition. The public health is generally good. Land revenue suspensions have been granted and *takavi* advanced freely for fodder and wells. Government grain is readily sold. Measures for the improvement of the water-supply from Government and Local Board grants continue. Charitable funds are being utilized for the relief of weavers and for five cattle kitchens. The numbers on gratuitous relief for the week ending 29th March were:—Ahmednagar 16,315. Poona and Sholapur 835. Total 17,150.

Hyderabad.—The spring harvest is almost over. Picking of castor seed continues in a few parts. Late rice is being irrigated in most parts. The crop is good in places and is generally fair. Fodder is being imported into the affected talukas of the Aurangabad and Bir districts. *Takavi* has been distributed and ordinary works increased. Fodder scarcity is reported in 22, water scarcity in 20 and cattle disease in 8 talukas. Prices are high and steady. Prices:—Wheat 6½, coarse rice 5½ and *guar* 10½ seers per rupee.

Yellow *juar* is not available in Hyderabad City. White *juar* is selling at 12 seers per rupee. The highest price in districts is 7 seers in Karimnagar and the lowest 17 seers in Adilabad.

Mysore.—Prices of food grains are generally steady. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—There was no rain during the week. Prices of food grains are high. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient. The public health is fair.

Madras.—Light rain fell in Ramnad, Tinnevely and Travancore. There was no rain elsewhere. Standing crops are fair to good. Harvesting of dry crops, paddy and sugarcane is proceeding with outturn fair to normal. Sowings of dry crops and paddy are proceeding normally. Planting of sugarcane is commencing in parts. The condition of cattle is generally good. Fodder and water are generally sufficient. Prices are stationary.

Statement showing the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts in which famine has been declared.

Name of Province or State.	PRECEDING WEEK (REVISED).			PRESENT WEEK.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>British Provinces.</i>							
Bombay	12,914	12,914	12,914	16,315	16,315	16,315	+3,401

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DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

FAMINE.

Statement showing the number of persons on relief works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in the Districts of British Provinces and in Native States affected by famine or scarcity in India.

For the week ending 22nd March 1913.

No.	Name of district or State.	AREA UNDER FAMINE RELIEF.							TRACTS UNDER OBSERVATION AND TEST.	
		Area affected in square miles.	Estimated population of area in column 3.	Number of persons employed on relief works.	NUMBER OF PERSONS ON GRATUITOUS AND SPECIAL RELIEF.			Grand total on relief.	Number of persons on test works.	Number of persons in receipt of gratuitous relief.
					Dependents of relief workers relieved on works.	Relieved in villages, kitchens, poor-houses, etc.	Total.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	<i>Districts.</i>				BOMBAY.					
1	Ahmednagar	6,024	886,000	...	...	12,914	12,914	12,914	...	...
2	Poona ...	(Not given).		...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Sholapur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total Bombay	6,024	886,000	...	...	12,914	12,914	12,914	...	886,000
					UNITED PROVINCES.					
1	Mirzapur...	(Not given)	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,866	...
	<i>Native States.</i>									
1	Chakla district of the Benares State.	Ditto	1,911	2,400
	Total United Provinces.	3,777	2,400

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

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FAMINE.

*Simla, the 31st March 1913.***Ninth Report of the Board of Management of the Indian People's Famine Trust covering the Calendar year 1912.**

1. There were three meetings of the Board held during the year 1912, besides the usual Annual Meeting, *viz.*, on 6th January, 12th March and 20th May.

2. The Report and the Annual accounts for 1911 were passed at a meeting of the Board held on 5th February and a copy of the Report on the administration of the Trust during 1911 and of the Accounts was forwarded to the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture in accordance with rule 16 of the rules for the administration of the Trust.

3. The famine in Bombay noticed in the last year's report developed itself steadily, especially in Gujerat, Cutch and Kathiawar and two further applications from the Central Famine Relief Fund Committee, Bombay, were received. Each time the Board made to them a grant of Rs. 50,000 and the total grants made during the year including the application received in 1911 amounted to Rs. 1,50,000. It may be noted that the cash balance in hand in March and June was not sufficient to meet the calls and the Board had to sell Government paper for Rs. 55,000 for the purpose, out of the temporary investment. It is gratifying, however, to note that the whole of the grant made by the Board was not used up, the Committee being able to refund Rs. 14,000 and to make a promise of a further refund.

4. Accumulations of interest realized were promptly invested from time to time during the year as in 1911 and $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent Government paper of the nominal value of Rs. 1,02,000 was purchased at a cost of Rs. 98,610-12-0. These securities as well as those purchased in previous years *less* sales effected during the year amount to Rs. 6,50,000 and stand in the joint names of the Comptroller General and Accountant General, Bengal, and are available for expenditure.

5. During the year the Hon'ble Sir Lawrence Jenkins, Kt., K.C.I.E., K.C., resigned his appointment as Chairman to the Board and the Hon'ble Sir R. W. Carlyle, K.C.S.I., was appointed to succeed him.

6. A statement of the assets of the Trust and an Abstract of the accounts are given in schedules I and II annexed.

7. A sum of £ 1,769 13s. 3d. (equivalent in Indian coin to Rs. 26,544-15-0) was received through the India Office, London, on account of a bequest made by the late Mr. John Siward Arden of Burton-on-Trent for relief of famine in India.

8. The Miscellaneous Receipts shown in schedule II annexed represent the annual subscription of Rs. 500 by the Raja of Athgarh for 1909-1910.

9. The Endowment Fund stands at Rs. 28,10,000 as in last year.

SCHEDULE I.**Indian People's Famine Trust.***Statement showing details of Assets as at 31st December 1912.*

	Amount.			TOTAL.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Endowment Fund invested in Government Securities vested in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments—						
Balance brought forward from 1911 ...	28,10,000	0	0	...		
Total Endowment Fund ...	...			28,10,000	0	0
Government Securities representing Assets temporarily invested—						
Balance brought forward from 1911 ...	6,03,000	0	0	...		
<i>Add—</i> Purchases during the year ...	1,02,000	0	0	...		
<i>Less—</i> Sales during the year ...	55,000	0	0	...		
Balance at close of the year ...	...			6,50,000	0	0
Cash in Current Account in Bank of Bengal ...	...			1,230	7	5
Total available for expenditure ...	...			6,51,230	7	5
GRAND TOTAL ...	...			34,61,230	7	5

SCHEDULE II.

Accounts of the Indian People's Famine Trust.

Abstract of Cash Transactions for the year 1912.

RECEIPTS.	Amount.			TOTAL.			PAYMENTS.			Amount.			TOTAL.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Interest on Government Securities vested in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments ...	98,950	0	0				Purchase of Government Securities ...	98,610	13	0					
Sale of G. P. notes for Rs. 55,000 out of the temporary investment ...	58,301	3	11				Grants to the Bombay Central Famine Relief Fund Committee ...	1,50,000	0	0					
Interest on Government Securities representing Assets temporarily invested ...	20,142	8	0				Miscellaneous ...	0	1	0					
Refund of unspent balance of the Bombay Central Famine Relief Fund ...	14,000	0	0												
Unspent balance of the Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund received from the Collector of Shahabad ...	700	0	0												
Do. Do. Political Agent, Bundelkhand ...	43	0	0												
Request of the late Mr. John Seward Arden through India Office ...	26,544	15	0												
Miscellaneous ...	500	0	0												
TOTAL RECEIPTS ...	...	...	2,13,582	10	11		TOTAL PAYMENTS ...	...	...	4,48,610	13	0			
Opening balance, 1st January 1912	36,258	9	6	Closing Balance on 31st December 1912	1,230	7	5			
GRAND TOTAL	2,49,841	4	5		GRAND TOTAL	2,49,841	4	5			

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

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AGRICULTURE.

Simla, the 1st April 1913.

RESOLUTION.

The following Rules and Regulations which have been prescribed for carrying out the provisions of the United States Plant Quarantine Act of 20th August 1912, are published for general information.

United States Department of Agriculture,

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY—Circular No. 41, Revised.

RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR CARRYING OUT THE PLANT QUARANTINE ACT.

Under date of September 18, 1912, rules and regulations for the enforcement of the Plant Quarantine Act, August 20, 1912, were issued. Regulations 2 to 9 are amended to read as herein set forth.

JAMES WILSON, *Secretary.*

Date: December 3, 1912.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Regulation 1. Short Title of the Act.

The act "To regulate the importation of nursery stock and other plants and plant products; to enable the Secretary of Agriculture to establish and maintain quarantine districts for plant diseases and insect pests; to permit and regulate the movement of fruits, plants, and vegetables therefrom, and for other purposes," approved August 20, 1912, shall be known and referred to as "The Plant Quarantine Act, August 20, 1912."

Regulation 2. Definition.

For the purpose of this act the term "nursery stock" includes all field-grown florists' stock, trees, shrubs, vines, cuttings, grafts, scions, buds, fruit pits, and other seeds of fruit and ornamental trees or shrubs, and other plants and plant products for propagation, except field, vegetable, and flower seeds, bedding plants, and other herbaceous plants, bulbs, and roots.

All woody plants and parts thereof for propagation or planting are included within the term "nursery stock" as used in this act.

"Field-grown florists' stock" is all florists' stock which is usually grown outside of greenhouses for all or part of the year.

Regulation 3. Applications for Permits for Importation of Nursery Stock.

Persons contemplating the importation by mail, express, freight, or other form of transportation of nursery stock as defined in this act from any part of the world will first make application to the Secretary of Agriculture for a permit, stating in the application the general nature and quantity of the nursery stock, the district or locality where grown, the name and address of the exporter, together with the name and address of the importer in the United States and the proposed port of entry. (NOTE—The port of entry is the port where the imported nursery stock is cleared from customs and the duty paid.)

By "general nature" is meant the class or type of stocks, as fruit trees, fruit-tree stocks, etc., as specified in the official form of permit.

Applications for permits should be made in advance of the shipment of the nursery stock, but if through no fault of the importer stock shall arrive before the issue of a permit the stock will be held in customs custody at the risk and expense of the importer for a period not exceeding 10 days pending the issue of a permit.

Applications for permits should contain the following information.

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO IMPORT NURSERY STOCK.

....., 191....

To the Federal Horticultural Board, Washington, D. C.:

A permit is requested for the importation of nursery stock from the firm of..... in the district or locality and country of, for the shipping season of as follows:

Quantity.	General nature.
.....	Fruit trees
.....	Fruit-tree stocks.
.....	Grapevines.
.....	Bush fruits.
.....	Roses.
.....	Rose stocks.
.....	Forest and ornamental deciduous trees.
.....	Ornamental deciduous shrubs.
.....	Coniferous trees other than pines.
.....	Pines— <i>species should be named.</i>
.....
.....	Evergreen trees other than conifers.
.....	Evergreen shrubs other than conifers.
.....	Field-grown florists' stock not otherwise listed.
.....	Stocks, cuttings, or seedlings not otherwise listed.
Name and address of shipper.....	
Port of entry.....	
Name of importer.....	
(Name).....	
(Address).....	

Regulation 4. Delivery in Bond.

(Section 1.)

If the required permit be not at hand at the time of the arrival at port of entry of the nursery stock, the latter may be delivered to the importer, consignee, or agent for the proper care thereof upon the filing of a voluntary bond with approved sureties in double the invoice value of the property (the amount of the bond in no case to be less than \$20) conditioned upon the redelivery thereof to the collector within 20 days from the date of arrival and providing that the same shall not be removed from the port of entry within such period or until the presentation of proper permit; or, if the importer, consignee, or agent shall so elect, the goods may be retained in the custody of the officer of the customs pending the issuance of the permit, wholly at the expense of the importer.

Regulation 5. Permits for entry of Nursery Stock.

(Section 1.)

On approval by the Secretary of Agriculture of an application for the importation of nursery stock from countries which maintain nursery stock inspection a permit will be issued in triplicate. One copy of the permit will be furnished to the applicant, one copy will be mailed to the collector at the port of entry, and the third filed with the application. Permits will expire on the 30th day of June of the year following the date of issue. They will be in the following form:—

This permit expires June 30, 191 — No.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FEDERAL HORTICULTURAL BOARD.
WASHINGTON, D. C.

PERMIT TO IMPORT NURSERY STOCK.

.....191.....

To the Collector of Customs:

.....

SIR: You are hereby authorized, so far as the jurisdiction of the Department of Agriculture is concerned, to permit the importation under "The Plant Quarantine Act, August 20, 1912," of the nursery stock specified in the application of..... dated....., described herein, provided each shipment is accompanied by the certificate of inspection and the shipper's declaration certified by an American consular officer in conformity with the rules and regulations made for the enforcement of the act.

Quantity.

General nature.

.....	Fruit trees.
.....	Fruit-tree stocks.
.....	Grapevines.
.....	Bush fruits.
.....	Roses.
.....	Rose stocks.
.....	Forest and ornamental deciduous trees.
.....	Ornamental deciduous shrubs.
.....	Coniferous trees other than pines.
.....	Pines—species.

.....Evergreen trees other than conifers.
Evergreen shrubs other than conifers.
Field-grown florists' stock not otherwise listed.
Stocks, cuttings, or seedlings not otherwise listed.
 Name and address of exporter.....

 Name and address of importer... ..

Respectfully,

JAMES WILSON,

Secretary of Agriculture.

Countersigned:

Executive Officer.

Permits for the entry of nursery stock from countries which do not maintain official nursery-stock inspection will be addressed to the collector of customs in the following form:—

To the Collector of Customs:

.....
 You are hereby authorized, so far as the jurisdiction of the Department of Agriculture is concerned, to permit the importation under "The Plant Quarantine Act, August 20, 1912" of the nursery stock specified in the application of....., dated....., described herein, only upon receipt of notice in writing from an inspector of the Department of Agriculture that the nursery stock has been inspected by him or under his direction at the port of arrival and was found or believed to be free from injurious plant diseases and insect pests.

(See Regulation 6 for entry of nursery stock from countries having no official system of nursery inspection.)

Permits are not required for nursery stock entering the United States for immediate transportation in bond to foreign countries.

Permits for nursery stock entered for immediate transportation to interior points in bond are required only at point of entry.

Regulation 6. Entry of Nursery Stock.

(Section 1.)

On and after July 1, 1913, entry of nursery stock will not be allowed unless the invoice is accompanied by the original certificate and unless each container bears a copy certificate, issued by a duly authorized official of the country from which it is shipped, stating that the nursery stock covered by these certificates has been thoroughly inspected by him or under his direction and was found, or believed to be, free from injurious plant diseases and insect pests: *Provided*, That for stock to be shipped between October 1 and May 31 such inspection shall be made on or after the 1st of October and for stock shipped during the growing season inspection shall be made at the time of packing: *Provided further*, That on and after July 1, 1913, nursery stock from countries which do not maintain official nursery stock inspection will be admitted into the United States only for experimental purposes and in limited quantities. For such importations a special permit will be required. (See Reg. 5.) Applications for such permits should be addressed, in writing, to the Federal Horticultural Board, specifying the amount and kinds of nursery stock which it is intended to import.

Any such shipments will be allowed to enter only through a port which the Secretary of Agriculture will designate in the permit. Such nursery stock shall not be delivered to the importer or consignee until it has been examined by an inspector of the Department of Agriculture and found to be free from plant diseases and insect pests.

Prior to July 1, 1913, it will not be required that the original certificate of inspection accompany the invoice, but each container of imported nursery stock must bear a copy of the certificate of inspection in the form authorised by the responsible inspection official of the country of origin.

Prior to July 1, 1913, nursery stock from countries which maintain no official nursery-stock inspection will be admitted into the United States only through the ports of New York, San Francisco, Seattle, Jacksonville, New Orleans, Honolulu, and San Juan after examination by inspectors of the Department of Agriculture at the port of entry, if found to be free from plant diseases and insect pests.

Collectors of customs will be notified from time to time, through the Secretary of the Treasury, of the countries which maintain official nursery stock inspection.

Entry will not be allowed unless the case, box, or other container or covering is plainly and correctly marked to show the number of permit, the general nature and quantity of the contents, the district or locality and country where grown, the name and address of the exporter, and the name and address of the consignee.

Nursery stock offered for entry without compliance with these regulations will be refused admission. Nursery stock, inspected as provided herein, which is found to be carrying dangerous insects or plant diseases may be treated or destroyed, as circumstances require.

When a package of imported nursery stock includes any prohibited species the entire package will be refused entry and treated or destroyed as circumstances may require.

All charges for storage, cartage and labour incident to inspection, other than the services of inspectors, shall be paid by the owner or consignee.

Regulation 7. Foreign Certificate of Inspection.

(Section 1.)

On and after July 1, 1913, certificates and copy certificates shall give the date of inspection, name of the grower, the district or locality, and country where grown; a statement that the stock has been inspected by a duly authorized official and found, or believed to be, free from dangerous insects and plant diseases. The original certificate shall be signed and sealed by, and the copy certificate shall bear the seal of the responsible inspection official for the country of origin.

Lists of officials in foreign countries authorised to inspect nursery stock giving their names and official designations, will be furnished to collectors of customs through the Secretary of the Treasury.

Regulation 8. Notice of Shipment by Importers and Shippers.

(Sections 2 and 4.)

Immediately upon the entry and before removal from the port of entry of shipments of nursery stock the person receiving the stock shall notify the Secretary of Agriculture through the collector of customs where entry is made on forms provided for that purpose, stating the number of permit, the general nature, age or height, and quantity of the nursery stock, the country and locality where grown, the date of entry, and the name and address of each of the consignees to whom it is proposed to forward the nursery stock, together with the probable date of delivery for transportation.

At the same time, a copy of the notice to the Secretary of Agriculture shall be sent by the person receiving the stock at port of entry to the duly authorised inspector or other officer of the State, Territory, or District to which the nursery stock is to be shipped. Lists of such officers may be obtained on application to the collector of customs or the Federal Horticultural Board, Washington, D. C. A list of State inspection officials will be found at the end of this circular.

Should the consignee named in the notices required to be given before removal from the port of entry of imported nursery stock ship or deliver for shipment to any other State, Territory, or District such nursery stock before it has been inspected by a duly authorised State, Territorial, or District officer, he shall prior to such shipment give like notice to the Secretary of Agriculture and to the duly authorised inspector or other officer of the State, Territory, or District to which the nursery stock is to be reshipped.

Imported nursery stock which has been once inspected will be allowed to move interstate without restrictions other than those imposed on the interstate movement of domestic nursery stock.

Regulation 9. Declaration.

(Section 1.)

On and after December 1, 1912, each invoice of nursery stock imported into the United States from any foreign country which maintains an official system of nursery-stock inspection shall be accompanied by a declaration of the shipper, produced before an American consular officer, as follows:

I,, the undersigned, do solemnly and truly declare that
(Name in full.)
I am the of the nursery stock herein mentioned and
(Shipper.)
described, and that it consists of stock which I believe to contain no injurious plant diseases or insect pests.

This stock was grown in during the past growing
(District or locality and country.)
season and is exported from and consigned to
(City.) (City.)
The marks on the packages are true and this nursery stock was inspected by and
(Name of Inspector.)

certified by him to be free from injurious plant diseases and insect pests. This shipment is offered under permit No., issued by the Secretary of Agriculture
.....
(Month.) (Day.) (Year.)

.....
(Shipper.)

I,, consul of the United States of America at, certify that the above declaration was produced before me on, 191.....

Given under my hand and the seal of this consulate the day and year above written.

.....
American Consul.

If the declaration be not at hand at the time of the arrival of the nursery stock at the port of entry, the stock may be delivered to the importer, consignee, or agent for the proper care thereof on the same conditions as are set forth in Regulation 4 for the delivery of the stock in case the permit is not at hand at the time of the arrival of the same at the port of entry.

Regulation 10. Hearings.

(Sections 5, 7, and 8.)

When the Secretary of Agriculture, in the exercise of his discretion, contemplates the restriction of the importation of plants and plant products not

included within the term "nursery stock" as used in this act, or the prohibition of the importation of nursery stock and other plants and plant products from any foreign country, or the prohibition or restriction of the shipment of nursery stock and other plants and plant products from one State, Territory, or District of the United States to another State, Territory, or District, he will give a public hearing to interested parties, who may appear either in person or by attorney, and give evidence or be heard respecting the subject of the hearing. Due notice of the hearing will be given by publication or otherwise, as may be deemed appropriate by the Secretary of Agriculture. Notice will contain a statement of the action which is contemplated by the Secretary of Agriculture, and will state the time and place of the hearing.

Regulation II. Marking of Packages.

(Section 3.)

Packages containing nursery stock which arrive not marked according to the law will not be delivered until they shall have been so marked under customs supervision and at the expense of the importers. (See also paragraph 2, Regulation 6.)

The above rules and regulations are hereby adopted.

JAMES WILSON,

Secretary of Agriculture.

WASHINGTON, D.C., December 3, 1912.

THE PLANT QUARANTINE ACT, AUGUST 20, 1912.

AN ACT To regulate the importation of nursery stock and other plants and plant products; to enable the Secretary of Agriculture to establish and maintain quarantine districts for plant diseases and insect pests; to permit and regulate the movement of fruits, plants, and vegetables therefrom, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That it shall be unlawful for any person to import or offer for entry into the United States any nursery stock unless and until a permit shall have been issued therefor by the Secretary of Agriculture, under such conditions and regulations as the said Secretary of Agriculture may prescribe, and unless such nursery stock shall be accompanied by a certificate of inspection, in manner and form as required by the Secretary of Agriculture, of the proper official of the country from which the importation is made, to the effect that the stock has been thoroughly inspected and is believed to be free from injurious plant diseases and insect pests: *Provided*, That the Secretary of Agriculture shall issue the permit for any particular importation of nursery stock when the conditions and regulations as prescribed in this act shall have been complied with: *Provided further*, That nursery stock may be imported for experimental or scientific purposes by the Department of Agriculture upon such conditions and under such regulations as the said Secretary of Agriculture may prescribe: *And provided further*, That nursery stock imported from countries where no official system of inspection for such stock is maintained may be admitted upon such conditions and under such regulations as the Secretary of Agriculture may prescribe.

SEC. 2. That it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury promptly to notify the Secretary of Agriculture of the arrival of any nursery stock at port of entry; that the person receiving such stock at port of entry shall, immediately upon entry and before such stock is delivered for shipment or removed from the port of entry, advise the Secretary of Agriculture or, at his direction, the proper State, Territorial, or District official of the State or Territory or the District to which such nursery stock is destined, or both, as the Secretary of Agriculture may elect, of the name and address of the consignee, the nature and quantity of the stock it is proposed to ship, and the country and locality where the same was grown. That no person shall ship or offer for shipment from one State or Territory or District of the United States into any other State or Territory or District, any nursery stock imported into the United States without notifying the Secretary of Agriculture or, at his direction, the proper State, Territorial, or District official of the State or Territory or District to which such nursery stock is destined, or both, as the Secretary of Agriculture may elect, immediately upon the delivery of the said stock for shipment, of the name and address of the consignee, of the nature and quantity of stock it is proposed to ship, and the country and locality where the same was grown, unless and until such imported stock has been inspected by the proper official of the State, Territory, or District of the United States.

SEC. 3. That no person shall import or offer for entry into the United States any nursery stock unless the case, box, package, crate, bale, or bundle thereof shall be plainly and correctly marked to show the general nature and quantity of the contents, the country and locality where the same was grown, the name and address of the shipper, owner, or person shipping or forwarding the same, and the name and address of the consignee.

SEC. 4. That no person shall ship or deliver for shipment from one State or Territory or District of the United States into any other State or Territory or District any such imported nursery stock the case, box, package, crate, bale, or bundle thereof is not plainly marked so as to show the general nature and quantity of the contents, the name and address of the consignee, and the country and locality where such stock was grown, unless and until such imported stock has been inspected by the proper official of a State, Territory, or District of the United States.

SEC. 5. That whenever the Secretary of Agriculture shall determine that the unrestricted importation of any plants, fruits, vegetables, roots, bulbs, seeds, or other plant products not included by the term "nursery stock" as defined in section six of this act may result in the entry into the United States or any of its Territories or Districts of injurious plant diseases or insect pests, he shall promulgate his determination, specifying the class of plants and plant products the importation of which shall be restricted and the country and locality where they are grown, and thereafter, and until such promulgation is withdrawn, such plants and plant products imported or offered for import into the United States or any of its Territories or Districts shall be subject to all the provisions of the foregoing sections of this act: *provided*, That before the Secretary of Agriculture shall promulgate his determination that the unrestricted importation of any plants, fruits, vegetables, roots, bulbs, seeds, or other plant products not included by the term "nursery stock" as defined in section six of this act may result in the entry into the United States or any of its Territories or Districts of injurious plant diseases or insect pests he shall, after due notice, give a public hearing, under such rules and regulations as he shall prescribe, at which hearing any interested party may appear and be heard, either in person or by attorney.

SEC. 6. That for the purpose of this act the term "nursery stock" shall include all field-grown florists' stock, trees, shrubs, vines, cuttings, grafts, scions, buds, fruit pits and other seeds of fruit and ornamental trees or shrubs, and other plants and plant products for propagation, except field, vegetable, and flower seeds, bedding plants and other herbaceous plants, bulbs, and roots.

SEC. 7. That whenever, in order to prevent the introduction into the United States of any tree, plant, or fruit disease or of any injurious insect, new to or not therefore widely prevalent or distributed within and throughout the United States, the Secretary of Agriculture shall determine that it is necessary to forbid the importation into the United States of any class of nursery stock or of any other class of plants, fruits, vegetables, roots, bulbs, seeds, or other plant products from a country or locality where such disease or insect infestation exists, he shall promulgate such determination, specifying the country and locality and the class of nursery stock or other class of plants, fruits, vegetables, roots, bulbs, seeds, or other plant products which, in his opinion, should be excluded. Following the promulgation of such determination by the Secretary of Agriculture, and until the withdrawal of the said promulgation by him, the importation of the class of nursery stock or of other class of plants, fruits, vegetables, roots, bulbs, seeds, or other plant products specified in the said promulgation from the country and locality therein named, regardless of the use for which the same is intended, is hereby prohibited; and until the withdrawal of the said promulgation by the Secretary of Agriculture, and notwithstanding that such class of nursery stock or other class of plants, fruits, vegetables, roots, bulbs, seeds, or other plant products be accompanied by a certificate of inspection from the country of importation, no person shall import or offer for entry into the United States from any country or locality specified in such promulgation, any of the class of nursery stock or of other class of plants, fruits, vegetables, roots, bulbs, seeds, or other plant products named therein, regardless of the use for which the same is intended: *Provided*, That before the Secretary of Agriculture shall promulgate his determination that it is necessary to forbid the importation into the United States of the articles named in this section he shall, after due notice to interested parties, give a public hearing, under such rules and regulations as he shall prescribe, at which hearing any interested party may appear and be heard, either in person or by attorney: *Provided further*, That the quarantine provisions of this section as applying to the white-pine blister rust, potato wart, and the Mediterranean fruit fly, shall become and be effective upon the passage of this act.

SEC. 8. That the Secretary of Agriculture is authorized and directed to quarantine any State, Territory, or District of the United States, or any portion thereof, when he shall determine the fact that a dangerous plant disease or insect infestation, new to or not theretofore widely prevalent or distributed within and throughout the United States, exists in such State or Territory or District; and the Secretary of Agriculture is directed to give notice of the establishment of such quarantine to common carriers doing business in or through such quarantined area, and shall publish in such newspapers in the quarantined area as he shall select notice of the establishment of quarantine. That no person shall ship

or offer for shipment to any common carrier, nor shall any common carrier receive for transportation or transport, nor shall any person carry or transport from any quarantined State or Territory or District of the United States, or from any quarantined portion thereof, into or through any other State or Territory or District, any class of nursery stock or any other class of plants, fruits, vegetables, roots, bulbs, seeds, or other plant products specified in the notice of quarantine except as hereinafter provided. That it shall be unlawful to move or allow to be moved any class of nursery stock or any other class of plants, fruits, vegetables, roots, bulbs, seeds, or other plant products specified in the notice of quarantine hereinbefore provided, and regardless of the use for which the same is intended, from any quarantined State or Territory or District of the United States, or quarantined portion thereof, into or through any other State or Territory or District, in manner or method or under conditions other than those prescribed by the Secretary of Agriculture. That it shall be the duty of the Secretary of Agriculture to make and promulgate rules and regulations which shall permit and govern the inspection, disinfection, certification, and method and manner of delivery and shipment of the class of nursery stock or of any other class of plants, fruits, vegetables, roots, bulbs, seeds, or other plant products specified in the notice of quarantine hereinbefore provided, and regardless of the use for which the same is intended, from a quarantined State or Territory or District of the United States, or quarantined portion thereof, into or through any other State or Territory or District; and the Secretary of Agriculture shall give notice of such rules and regulations as hereinbefore provided in this section for the notice of the establishment of quarantine: *Provided*, That before the Secretary of Agriculture shall promulgate his determination that it is necessary to quarantine any State, Territory, or District of the United States, or portion thereof, under the authority given in this section, he shall, after due notice to interested parties, give a public hearing under such rules and regulations as he shall prescribe, at which hearing any interested party may appear and be heard, either in person or by attorney.

SEC. 9. That the Secretary of Agriculture shall make and promulgate such rules and regulations as may be necessary for carrying out the purposes of this act.

SEC. 10. That any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this act, or who shall forge, counterfeit, alter, deface, or destroy any certificate provided for in this act or in the regulations of the Secretary of Agriculture shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars or by imprisonment not exceeding one year, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court: *Provided*, That no common carrier shall be deemed to have violated the provisions of any of the foregoing sections of this act on proof that such carrier did not knowingly receive for transportation or transport nursery stock or other plants or plant products as such from one State, Territory, or District of the United States into or through any other State, Territory, or District; and it shall be the duty of the United States attorneys diligently to prosecute any violations of this act which are brought to their attention by the Secretary of Agriculture or which come to their notice by other means.

Sec. 11. That the word "person" as used in this act shall be construed to import both the plural and the singular, as the case demands, and shall include corporations, companies, societies and associations. When construing and enforcing the provisions of this act, the act, omission or failure of any officer, agent, or other person acting for or employed by any corporation, company, society, or association, within the scope of his employment or office, shall in every case be also deemed to be the act, omission, or failure of such corporation, company, society, or association, as well as that of the person.

Sec. 12. That for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act there shall be appointed by the Secretary of Agriculture from existing bureaus and offices in the Department of Agriculture, including the Bureau of Entomology, the Bureau of Plant Industry, and the Forest Service, a Federal Horticultural Board consisting of five members, of whom not more than two shall be appointed from any one bureau or office, and who shall serve without additional compensation.

Sec. 13. That there is hereby appropriated, out of the moneys in the Treasuries not otherwise appropriated to be expended as the Secretary of Agriculture may direct, for the purposes and objects of this act, the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars.

Sec. 14. That this act shall become and be effective from and after the first day of October, nineteen hundred and twelve, except as herein otherwise provided.

Approved, August 20, 1912.

State Inspection Officials.

Alabama: State Horticulturist, Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, Ala.

Alaska: Special Agent in Charge, Alaska Agricultural Experiment Station, Sitka, Alaska.

Arizona: Chairman, Horticultural Commission, Phoenix, Ariz.

Arkansas: State Inspector, Fayetteville, Ark.

- California** : Horticultural Quarantine Officer, Room 11, Ferry Building, San Francisco, Cal.
- Colorado** : Entomologist, Colorado Agricultural Experiment Station, Fort Collins, Colo.
- Connecticut** : State Entomologist, New Haven, Conn.
- Delaware** : Secretary, State Board of Agriculture, Dover, Del.
- Florida** : Inspector of Nursery Stock, Florida Agricultural Experiment Station, Gainesville, Fla.
- Georgia** : State Entomologist, Atlanta, Ga.
- Guam** : Special Agent in Charge, Guam Agricultural Experiment Station, Island of Guam (*via* San Francisco).
- Hawaii** : Entomologist, Board of Commissioners of Agriculture and Forestry, Honolulu, Hawaii.
- Idaho** : State Horticultural Inspector, Boise, Idaho.
- Illinois** : Chief Horticultural Inspector, Urbana, Ill.
- Indiana** : State Entomologist, Indianapolis, Ind.
- Iowa** : State Entomologist, Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa.
- Kansas North** : Entomologist, Kansas Agricultural Experiment Station, Manhattan, Kans.
- Kansas South** : Entomologist, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kans.
- Kentucky** : State Entomologist, Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station, Lexington, Ky.
- Louisiana** : Entomologist, State Board of Agriculture and Immigration, Baton Rouge, La.
- Maine** : State Horticulturist, Augusta, Me.
- Maryland** : State Entomologist, College Park, Md.
- Massachusetts** : State Nursery Inspector, Amherst, Mass.
- Michigan** : State Inspector of Nurseries, East Lansing, Mich.
- Minnesota** : State Entomologist, St. Anthony Park, Minn.
- Mississippi** : Entomologist, Agricultural College, Miss.
- Missouri** : Entomologist, University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo.
- Montana** : Montana, State Board of Horticulture, Missoula, Mont.
- Nebraska** : Assistant State Entomologist, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Neb.
- Nevada** : Entomologist, Nevada Agricultural Experiment Station, Reno, Nev.
- New Hampshire** : Secretary, State Board of Agriculture, Concord, N. H.
- New Jersey** : State Entomologist, New Brunswick, N. J.
- New Mexico** : Horticulturist, New Mexico Agricultural Experiment Station, State College, N. Mex.
- New York** : Commissioner of Agriculture, Albany, N. Y.
- North Carolina** : State Entomologist, State Department of Agriculture, Raleigh, N. C.
- North Dakota** : Director, North Dakota Agricultural Experiment Station, Agricultural College, N. Dak.
- Ohio** : Chief Inspector, Ohio Department of Agriculture, Columbus, Ohio.
- Oklahoma** : Secretary, State Board of Agriculture, Oklahoma City, Okla.
- Oregon** : Secretary, State Board of Horticulture, Portland, Oreg.
- Pennsylvania** : Chief Nursery Inspector, Harrisburg, Pa.
- Porto Rico** : Entomologist, Board of Commissioners of Agriculture, San Juan, P. R.
- Rhode Island** : State Nursery Inspector, Kingston, R. I.
- South Carolina** : State Entomologist, Clemson College, S. C.
- South Dakota** : Entomologist, State College of Agriculture, Brookings, S. Dak.

Tennessee : State Entomologist, Knoxville, Tenn.

Texas : Chief Inspector of Nurseries, Houston, Tex.

Utah : State Horticultural Inspector, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Vermont : State Nursery Inspector, Burlington, Vt.

Virginia : State Entomologist, Blacksburg, Va.

Washington : Commissioner of Horticulture, Tacoma, Wash.

West Virginia : Director, West Virginia Agricultural Experiment Station, Morgantown, W. Va.

Wisconsin : Entomologist and Chief Nursery Inspector, College of Agriculture, Madison, Wis.

Wyoming : Secretary, State Board of Horticulture, Laramie, Wyo.

Ordered that the information be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India* for general information and that copies of the Resolution be forwarded to all Local Governments and Administrations and to the Foreign and Commerce and Industry Departments for information.

E. D. MACLAGAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.
PLAGUE.

Simla, the 3rd April, 1913.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India, during the week ending the 29th March 1913 is published for general information :

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI		Delhi City	2	2
		Delhi-Rural area	18	10
		TOTAL	15	12
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Northern	Bombay City	156	130
		Ahmedabad City . . . . .	...	...
		Ahmedabad District . . . . .	...	...
		Broach Port . . . . .	...	...
		Broach District . . . . .	...	...
		Kaira .. . . .	...	...
		Mahi Kantha Agency . . . . .	...	...
		Palaupur .. . . .	...	...
		Rewa Kantha	4	3
		Bulsar Port . . . . .	...	...
		Surat Town and Port . . . . .	...	...
		Rander Port . . . . .	...	...
		Surat District	57	42
		Surat Agency	1 (a)	...
		Bhiwadi Port	4	5
		Bandra	29	20
		Mahim .. . . .	...	...
		Bassein	6	4
		Saujan .. . . .	...	...
		Thana .. . . .	...	...
		Chirav .. . . .	...	...
		Chinchani Port	6	6
		Tarapur Port . . . . .	...	...
		Ghiwali .. . . .	...	...
		Joo .. . . .	...	...
		Thana District	1	...
	Central	Ahmednagar District . . . . .	...	...
		West Khandesh	2 (a)	2 (a)
		East Khandesh District . . . . .	...	...
		Nasik District . . . . .	...	...
		Poona City	9	6
		Poona District	2	1
		Satara	10	13
		Sholapur Town . . . . .	...	...
	Southern	Sholapur District . . . . .	...	...
		Panvel Port . . . . .	...	...
		Alibag	1	1
		Kolaba District	7	2
		Vengurla Port	7	9
		Ratnagiri District	5	3
		Belgaum	57 (b)	52 (b)
		Hubli Town . . . . .	...	...
		Dharwar District	51	22
		Kanara .. . . .	...	...
		Bijapur	7	6
		Bijapur Agency . . . . .	...	...
		Savantvadi State . . . . .	...	...

(a) Imported. (b) For two weeks ending 29th March 1913.

In the return for the week ending 22nd March 1913 against the East Khandesh district read 7 cases 3 deaths for nil.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Sind	Karachi Town and Port	8	8
		Karachi District	—	—
	Political Charges	Sukkur	—	—
		Larkana	—	—
		Baroda State	12 (a)	9 (a)
		Cutch State	46	42
		Porbandar Port	—	—
		Kathiawar Agency	29	19
		Kolhapur and Southern Maratha Country	37	20
		Satara Agency	—	—
		Savanur State	—	—
		Sholapur Agency	—	—
		Akalkot State	—	—
		Janjira State	7	5
		Murud Port	—	—
		TOTAL	561	495
	..	Anantapur District	1	2
		North Arcot District	47 (e)	34 (d)
		Bellary Town	—	—
		Bellary Cantonment	—	—
		Bellary District	2	2
		Mangalore Town and Port	4	5
		South Canara District	3	2
		Chittoor District	—	—
		Coimbatore Town	3 (b)	3 (b)
		Coimbatore District	13	18
		Cuddapah District	2 (c)	2 (c)
		Ganjam	1 (b)	1 (b)
		Malabar	—	—
		Salem	—	1
		TOTAL	76	70
BENGAL	Bardwan	Burdwan District	—	—
		Birbhum	1	1
		Bankura	—	—
		Hooghly District	—	—
		Howrah Town	—	—
		Howrah District	—	—
	Presidency	24 Parganahs	6	6
		Calcutta	54	50
	Dacca	Dacca Town	—	—
		Dacca District	—	—
		Mymensingh District	—	—
	Chittagong	Faridpur District	—	—
		Noakhali District	—	—
	Rajshahi	Jalpaiguri District	—	—
		Pabna District	—	—
		TOTAL	61	57

(a) Between the 22nd and the 28th March 1913.

(b) One imported. (c) Two imported. (d) Three imported. (e) Five imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BENGAL AND ORISSA	Patna	Patna Town	15	33
		Patna District	546	395
		Gaya Town	59	59
		" District	90	100
		Shahabad District	615	461
	Tirhut	Saran District . . . . .	...	...
		Muzaffarpur District . . . . .	...	...
		Darbhanga District	175	160
		Monghyr Town . . . . .	...	...
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	476	412
		Bhagalpur Town	8	5
		Bhagalpur District	37	31
		Champaran "	17	19
	Chota Nagpur.	Sonthal Parganas	7	7
		Manbhum District . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL	2,045	1,701
	Meerut	Saharanpur City	3	3
		Saharanpur District	105	72
		Muzaffarnagar District	267	256
		Meerut City	112	110
		Meerut District	246	197
		Balandshahr District	5	3
	Agra	Alicah District	3	1
		Matta District	35	31
		Mainpuri District	52	31
		Etah "	21	15
	Rohilkhand	Bareilly City	50	32
		Bareilly District	28	28
		Bijnor District	6	6
		Budann District . . . . .	...	...
		Moradabad City . . . . .	...	...
		Moradabad District	37	32
		Shahjahanpur City	36	29
		Shahjahanpur District	15	10
	Allahabad	Pilibhit District	6	5
		Farrukhabad City	17	17
		Farrukhabad District	178	162
		Etawah District	256	65
		Cawnpore City	72	72
		Cawnpore District	469	411
		Fatehpur "	177	155
		Allahabad City	14	14
UNITED PROVINCES	Jhansi	Allahabad District	253	234
		Jhansi City . . . . .	...	...
		Jhansi District	49	45
	Benares	Jalaun District	105	78
		Benares District	32	24
		Mirzapur City	120	68
	Benares	Mirzapur District	20	17
		Jaunpur District	202	202
		Ghazipur District	1,049	987
		Ballia "	757	682

The following corrections should be made in the return for the week ending 22nd March 1913:—

Bhagalpur district read 15 deaths for 14 deaths.

Shahjahanpur district read 31 cases for 8 cases.

Shahabad " " 552 " 460 deaths for nil.

Muzaffarpur " " 194 " 202 " " "

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
UNITED PROVINCES	Gorakhpur	Gorakhpur District	854	638
		Basti "	294	300
		Asamgarh "	898	887
	Kumaon	Naini Tal District	23	23
		Garhwal District . . . . .	...	...
		Lucknow City	292	232
	Lucknow	Lucknow District	385	385
		Unao "	712	609
		Rae Bareilly "	316	295
		Sitapur "	31	17
		Hardoi "	175	163
		Kheri "	15	16
		Fyzabad City	82	78
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	177	163
		Gonda "	69	57
		Bahraich "	250	235
		Sultanpur "	170	135
		Partabgarh "	38	34
		Bara Banki "	387	360
		Total	9,913	8,770
PUNJAB	Ambala	Hissar District	17	10
		Gurgaon District	260	251
		Rohtak "	130	94
		Karnal "	104	97
		Ambala " . . . . .	...	...
	Jullundur	Hoshiarpur District	18	18
		Jullundur "	39	13
		Ludhiana "	31	19
		Ferozepore "	40	8
		Amritsar City	2	...
	Lahore	Amritsar District . . . . .	...	...
		Gurdaspur "	66	66
		Sialkot "	70	68
		Gujranwala "	107	44
		Gujrat District	1	1
	Rawalpindi	Shahpur " . . . . .	...	...
		Jhelum "	33	19
		Rawalpindi "	4	2

In the return for the week ending 22nd March 1913 against Lucknow City read 148 cases for 145 cases.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Multan	Montgomery District . . . . .	...	...
		Jhang "	2	1
		Muzaffargarh " . . . . .	...	...
		Patiala City . . . . .	...	...
		Patiala State	157	117
		Kapurthala State	13	7
		Jind State	30	27
		Nabha "	19	11
		Pataudi State . . . . .	...	...
		Kalsia State . . . . .	...	...
	TOTAL		1,150	873
	Pegu	Rangoon Town	27	26
		Insein District . . . . .	...	...
		Tharrawaddy District	1	1
		Pegu District	33	33
		Prome "	8	...
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	25	20
		Bassein District . . . . .	...	...
		Myaungmya District	4	3
		Maubin "	18	13
		Pyapon "	14	14
	Toungoo-serim	Amherst District . . . . .	...	...
		Toungoo "	21	...
		Thaton "	2	2
		Moulmein Town	29	23
	Magwe ...	Thayetmyo District . . . . .	...	...
	Mandalay	Bhamo District	6	6
	Meiktila	Meiktila District	3	3
	TOTAL		190	148
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur	Nagpur Town . . . . .	...	...
		Nagpur District	35	25
		Bhandara Town	19	10
		Bhandara District	5	5
		Ohanda " . . . . .	...	...
	Jubbulpore	Jubbulpore Town	1	1
		Jubbulpore District	10	10
	Berar ...	Yectmal District	2	1
		Akola "	2	...
	TOTAL		74	52

The following corrections should be made in the return for the week ending 22nd March 1913:—
Rangoon Town read 26 cases 26 deaths for nil.
Prome district " 6 " 6
Myaungmya district read 19 cases 19 deaths for nil.
Henzala " 3 " 1 death " "
Meiktila " read 3 deaths for nil.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE	..	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	23	31
		Bangalore City	2	..
		Bangalore District	16	13
		Mysore City . . . . .	..	..
		Mysore District . . . . .	..	..
		Hassan „	8	4
		Kadur „	1	..
		Kolar „	2	3
		Kolar Gold Fields	6	5
		Tumkur District	8	7
		Shimoga „	14	10
		Chitaldroog „ . . . . .	..	..
		TOTAL	80	63
		Usmanabad District . . . . .	..	..
HYDER- ABAD STATE	..	Baichur „	6	4
		Aurangabad „ . . . . .	..	1
		Nizamabad „ . . . . .	..	..
		Gulbargah „	56	40
		Bidar „ . . . . .	..	..
		Parbhani „ . . . . .	..	..
		Atrafbaldah „ Sarf-i-khas . . . . .	..	..
		Nander „ . . . . .	..	..
		Hyderabad City and suburbs . . . . .	..	..
		Bir District . . . . .	..	..
		Adilabad District . . . . .	..	..
		Medak „	8	7
		Nalgondah „ . . . . .	..	..
		Warangal „ . . . . .	..	..
		Karimnagar District . . . . .	..	..
		Mahbubnagar „	1	1
		TOTAL	71 (a)	58 (a)

(a) From the 17th to the 23rd March 1913.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Nowgong . . . . .	...	...
		Indore City . . . . .	...	...
		Indore State : . . . . .	...	...
		Indore Residency Bazars : . . . . .	...	...
		Ujjain City . . . . .	...	...
		Ujjain District . . . . .	...	...
		Gwalior State . . . . .	...	...
		Datia " . . . . .	...	...
		Ratlam " . . . . .	...	...
		Mhow Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Dewas (Senior Branch) Town . . . . .	...	...
		Dewas State (Senior Branch) . . . . .	...	...
		Dewas State (Junior Branch) . . . . .	...	...
		Neesmuck Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Piploda State . . . . .	...	...
		Jaora " . . . . .	...	...
		Dhar " . . . . .	...	...
		Bagli " . . . . .	...	...
		Sailana " . . . . .	...	...
		Jhabua " . . . . .	...	...
		Manpur . . . . .	...	...
		Malwa State : . . . . .	...	...
		Malwa Prant of Gwalior . . . . .	...	...
		Kurwai State . . . . .	...	...
		Bajgarh " . . . . .	...	...
		Sehore Agency Limits . . . . .	...	...
		Sehore Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Bhopal City . . . . .	...	...
		Bhopal State	12	5
		Rewa " . . . . .	...	...
		Nagode " . . . . .	...	...
		Maihar " . . . . .	...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Barwani State	1	...
		Morar Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Sitaman State . . . . .	...	...
		Sohawal " . . . . .	...	...
		Narsingarh " . . . . .	...	...
		Orehha " . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL	18 (a)	5 (a)
		Chitor . . . . .	...	...
		Udaipur City . . . . .	...	...
		Jodhpur City . . . . .	...	...
RAJPU- TANA AND AJMER- MER- WARA	...	Marwar (Jodhpur) State . . . . .	...	...
		Jaipur City	25	24
		Jaipur State	32	31
		Dholpur City . . . . .	...	...
		Tonk State . . . . .	...	...
		Tonk Pargana Nimbahera . . . . .	...	...
		Partabgarh Town . . . . .	...	...
		Partabgarh State . . . . .	...	...
		Kishangarh " . . . . .	...	...
		Deogarh . . . . .	...	...
		Karauli City . . . . .	...	...
		Abu Road . . . . .	...	...
		Bharatpur City . . . . .	...	...
		Bharatpur State	74	68
		Alwar State	11	10
		Ajmer Town . . . . .	...	...
		Shahpura Town . . . . .	...	...
		Sirohi State . . . . .	...	...
		Dungarpur . . . . .	...	...
TOTAL	142 (b)	133 (b)		
N.-W. P. PROVINCE	...	Peshawar Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Dera Ismail Khan . . . . .	...	...
KASHMIR	...	TOTAL . . . . .	...	...
		Mirpur District . . . . .	...	...
		Kathua " . . . . .	...	...
		Jammu Province	8	8
BALU- CHISTAN	...	TOTAL	8	8
		Soumiani . . . . .	...	...
		Hirok . . . . .	...	...
		Sibi . . . . .	...	...
		Fort Sandeman . . . . .	...	...
		Ormara (Las Bela State) . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL . . . . .	...	...
GRAND TOTAL			14,394	12,874

(a) For the week ending 22nd March 1913.

(b) For the week ending 28th March 1913.

L. C. PORTER,
Secretary to the Government of India.

Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian
Railways.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.
(RAILWAY BOARD.)

STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

N.B.—As regards the figures in column *Total earnings*, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RESULTS OF WORKING DURING 1ST HALF OF YEAR.										RESULTS OF WORKING FOR OFFICIAL YEAR.					
AVERAGE EARNINGS PER MILE PER WEEK.		Mean mileage worked.		Total earnings for week ending.		Earnings per mile open for week.		Total earnings from 1st January to		Total earnings from 1st April to		Increase.		Decrease.	
During 1st half of year 1912.	During official year 1911-12.	1912.	1913.	22nd March 1912.	22nd March 1913.	1912.	1913.	22nd March 1912.	22nd March 1913.	22nd March 1912.	22nd March 1913.	22nd March 1912.	22nd March 1913.	22nd March 1912.	22nd March 1913.
R	R	Miles.	Miles.	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
RAILWAYS.															
State and Guaranteed Railways.															
Bengal-Nagpur (including 2' 6" gauge lines)															
312	267	2,494	2,495	7,67,573	10,57,000	308	424	94,45,515	1,00,31,000	585,485	...	3,39,60,814	3,98,45,000	58,84,186	...
372	320	21	21	7,404	6,300	353	300	86,564	84,800	...	1,764	3,34,990	3,68,000	33,010	...
739	741	946	946	6,83,538	7,01,000	723	741	82,33,446	82,95,000	...	28,445	3,13,69,465	3,18,32,000	4,62,535	...
East in Bengal (incldg. 3' 3 1/2" and 2' 6" gauge lines)															
382	415	1,534	1,570	6,16,594	6,38,000	402	406	73,81,370	79,72,000	5,90,630	...	3,16,93,718	3,41,31,000	24,37,282	...
East Indian															
810	761	2,702	2,472	20,08,900	20,15,000	840	815	2,22,32,014	2,35,55,000	13,22,086	...	9,05,44,685	10,02,35,000	96,90,315	...
681	585	2,471	2,472	17,53,386	16,50,000	709	671	2,10,74,727	2,16,53,000	5,78,273	...	7,31,75,212	7,86,13,000	54,37,788	...
Great Indian Peninsula (incldg. Indian Midland)															
372	354	126	126	41,472	44,100	339	350	6,23,507	5,72,000	...	5,157	2,26,19,938	2,17,000	8,614	...
102	85	40	40	4,082	3,500	101	87	44,785	40,700	...	4,085	1,72,336	1,81,000	4,07,706	...
499	454	57	57	29,495	33,900	517	595	3,26,688	4,69,000	1,35,912	...	13,04,294	17,17,000	4,07,706	...
Madras and Southern Mahratta (including 3' 3 1/2" gauge lines)															
282	252	2,585	2,585	7,21,750	7,56,000	279	292	79,70,624	84,07,000	4,36,376	...	84,07,000	84,07,000	20,61,698	...
North-Western (incldg. 2' 6" gauge lines)															
479	427	3,806	3,806	16,87,461	16,00,000	443	420	2,03,13,670	1,81,38,000	...	21,55,670	8,05,08,143	8,64,81,000	59,72,857	...
375	205	1,579	1,602	4,80,772	4,52,000	305	282	53,77,057	51,67,000	...	2,10,987	2,06,60,966	2,34,33,000	27,72,034	...
292	273	32	32	12,721	11,400	398	356	98,885	1,01,000	2,115	...	4,36,520	4,24,000	...	...
Assam Bengal															
146	141	790	805	1,26,611	1,35,000	160	168	14,34,113	15,40,000	1,05,867	...	55,98,436	63,58,000	7,59,564	...
313	267	1,529	1,545	4,54,917	5,87,000	298	380	61,51,157	60,89,000	5,32,843	...	2,64,60,564	2,17,22,000	12,61,436	...
208	198	124	124	22,840	25,000	184	209	3,03,519	3,14,000	10,481	...	12,49,137	1,33,35,000	85,863	...
Jodhpur-Hyderabad (British Section)															
167	153	254	298	41,312	51,800	163	174	3,16,141	6,11,000	94,859	...	19,65,960	23,02,000	5,40,440	...
165	147	411	411	63,214	72,500	154	176	7,34,911	8,74,000	1,39,989	...	30,52,516	35,54,000	5,11,484	...
Mysore (including Kolar Gold Fields, 5' 6")															
363	317	1,828	1,828	6,62,252	5,36,000	362	293	76,88,492	71,33,000	...	5,65,492	2,87,51,958	3,01,57,000	14,05,042	...
Rajputana-Malwa															
379	350	1,306	1,306	5,66,898	5,47,000	363	392	57,51,202	59,56,000	9,04,708	...	2,47,48,142	2,66,15,000	18,66,848	...
141	130	108	108	13,775	15,200	128	141	1,64,175	1,72,000	7,825	...	7,61,129	8,05,000	43,871	...
255	226	769	792	1,88,565	1,92,000	245	242	22,10,086	22,43,000	32,914	...	88,76,190	96,06,000	7,29,810	...
Tirhoot															
74	75	32	32	3,233	2,500	101	78	26,818	27,200	382	...	1,13,691	1,17,000	3,309	...
Jorhat (Provincial)															

16,749	86,200	24,700	3,750</
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(a) Opened from 1st January 1913.	(b) From 2nd July 1911.	(c) Including Khadro Section opened from January 1912.	(d) Opened from 1st June 1912.	(e) Opened from March 1913.
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**WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES IN THE FIRST HALF OF
MARCH 1913 OF:**

RICE
WHEAT AND FLOUR
BARLEY
JAWAR
BAJRA
RAGI
KANGNI
MAIZE
GRAM

ARHAR DÁL
OATS
COTTON SEED
LINSSEED
MUSTARD AND RAPESEED
SESAMUM (Til or jinjili)
GHI
SUGAR, RAW (Gúr)
SALT

TOBACCO LEAF
TURMERIC
GRASS AND STRAW
JAWAR STALKS
BHUSA (WHITE)
BRAN
SHEEP AND BULLOCKS
KEROSENE OIL

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MARCH

Districts	RICE, UNHUSKED		RICE, HUSKED		WHEAT		FLOUR (WHEAT)		BARLEY		JAWAR		BAJRA		R
	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	
Burma*															
<i>Tenasserim—</i>															
Mergui	...	...	44.14	50.39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	36.10	39.26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Monywa and															
Amherst	...	...	45.71	42.95	55.65	55.65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Peau (deltaic)—</i>															
Rangoon†	...	...	...	43.54	...	37.21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein	...	...	42.95	57.14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassien	...	...	42.95	44.44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Peau (inland)—</i>															
Honnada	...	...	38.79	55.17	76.19	56.14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Upper Burma—</i>															
Mandalay	...	...	38.55	45.07	40.76	38.79	...	...	...	...	22.36	22.36	...	...	...
Pakokku	...	...	40	45.71	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Avalon—</i>															
Akyab	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam*															
<i>Burma—</i>															
Bhangan (Sylhet)	22.5	30	37.5	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Beah (Assam)—</i>															
Golbura	22.5	13.75	41.25	26.25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	31.87	15	39.37	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal*															
<i>Eastern—</i>															
Chittagong	20	...	35	37.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	45	40	42.5	37.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Deltaic—</i>															
Calcutta	...	...	55	47.5	32.5	41.25	...	...	27.5	32.5	30	32.5	32.5	31.25	...
<i>Central—</i>															
Bardwan	...	...	42.19	41.25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Midnapur</i>															
Midnapur	...	...	38.75	36.25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Northern—</i>															
Patna	30	20	50	33.75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	22.5	16.25	47.5	35	40	42.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa*															
<i>Bihar north—</i>															
Bhagalpur	...	...	45	35	40	35	...	...	26.56	23.75	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Muzaffarpur</i>															
Muzaffarpur	...	...	50	40	44.37	44.37	...	...	28.59	22.19	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Bihar south—</i>															
Patna	...	...	45	30	37.5	28.44	...	...	...	20	21.25	20	31.25	20	...
<i>Orissa—</i>															
Cuttack	...	...	38.07	35.31	38.07	33.85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Provinces*															
<i>(a) Agra—</i>															
Eastern—															
Banars	24.8	20.36	51.2	46.41	33.8	33.59	39.32	40.36	38.02	24.32	24.58	...	27.13	...	...
<i>Central—</i>															
Cawnpore	25 & } 27.5	25.78	50	42.19	37.5	34.06	37.5 & } 47.5	39.01	26.25	25	22.5	21.61	30	27.78	...
Jhansi	...	...	53.75	48.12	37.19	34.49	...	...	25.62	23.65	23.44	23.65	26.67	...	...
<i>Western—</i>															
Meerut	...	...	57.19	47.03	36.41	32.66	40	34.84	27.66	24.23	25	...	27.66	...	...
Agra	53.33	47.06	57.24	53.33	38.12	33.33	46.41	39.01	25	25	24.27	24.23	25	29.58	...
<i>Simla—</i>															
Shimla	26.56	22.5	60	...	36.25	31.25	38.28	...	24.06	22.5	22.5	21.25	22.61	23.75	...
<i>Orissa—</i>															
<i>Southern—</i>															
Lucknow	...	...	44.43	32.8	39.06	33.33	42.06	42.06	25	21.01	30.52	20	23.54	21.01	...
<i>Northern—</i>															
Fyzabad	25.62	22.5	50	44.74	35	35	...	...	24.37	21.67	20	...	25	...	...

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice
† Not reported yet

The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

No.	MAIZE		GRAM		ARHAR DAL		OATS		COTTON SEED		LINSEED		MUSTARD AND RAPESEED		DISTRICTS
	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	
															Burma -
															Tenasserim—
			61.54	57.14											Mergui
															Tavoy
			40.76	40.76	50	50									Moulmein and
															Amherst
															Pegu (deltaic)—
				33.16		48.12									Rangoon
			25.81	51	38.79	51.61									Manilla
			42.11	40.70											Bassien
															Pegu (inland)—
			39.02	40	55.17	54.24									Henzada
															Tuango
	20	20	28.7	25	51.61	45.07	53.78	58.18							Upper Burma—
			40	31.22											Mandalay
															Lakokku
			44.44	42.11	57.14	50									Arakan—
															Akyab
															Assam—
					47.5										Burma—
															Bahaguj (Sylhet)
													50	57.5	Brahmapura—
													52.5	52.5	Gauhati
															Bengal—
					52.5	50					100		55	60	Eastern—
					42.5	42.5							65		Chittagong
															Dacca
	80		39.5	31.25	41.25	42.5	27.5	20.25			55	80	65	60	Deltaic—
															Calcutta
			32.5	30	37.5	42.5							53.75	60	Central—
															Hardwan
											45	70	60 to 70	65 to 75	Midnapur
					50						47.5		60		Northern—
					35	32.5							60	61.4	Rangpur
															Bihar and Orissa—
	28.75	32.5	28.75	23.75	41.87	30.25	28.75	20			55	82.5	43.75 and 52.5	41.25 and 35	Bihar, north—
	26.50	20	28.59	28.59	40	40	30.78	10.00							Muzaffarpur
	22.5	18.12	26.72	15.03	33.28	30					52.5	100	55	52.5	Bihar, south—
			28.75	23.75	44.37	33.75	33.75	27.00					70.15	70.15	Patna
															Orissa—
															Cuttack
															United Provinces—
	22.00		27.34	26.87	35.78	32.6						80.25	60.36	9.53	(a) Agra—
															Eastern—
															Benares
	24.27	20.52	25	21.04	40	27.55		31.98	21.35	23.54	50	72.71	48.44	47.06	Central—
			23.75	20											Cawnpore
															Jhansi
	24.22	20.47	26.25	21.41	39.08	30.78	20.50	9.6							Western—
	23.51		21.22	22.24	36.35	33.33	42.08		21.04	25	100		61.25	53.33	Meerut
															Agra
		18.75	24.37	20	30	23.75		30	23.12	20	60.25		57.10		Submontane, west—
															Almora
	18.39	19.00	23.54	21.61							53.44	60.07	50	53.33	in Oudh—
															Southern—
	30	10.37	22.34	20.01	40	33.75									Lucknow
															Northern—
															Kanpur

WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MARCH—contd.

DISTRICTS	SESAMUM (Til or jinji)		GHI		SUGAR, RAW (Gur)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF		TURMERIC		GRASS	
	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912
Burma—														
<i>Tenasserim—</i>														
Mergui . . . . .	...	...	640	581.82	...	...	17.16	16.93	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy . . . . .	...	...	581.82	581.82	...	...	20.51	20.51	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst . . . . .	...	...	457.14	457.14	...	...	16.89	17.98	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Pegu (deltaic)—</i>														
Rangoon* . . . . .	...	...	...	583.33	...	...	...	18.29	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maunin . . . . .	...	...	581.82	583.33	...	...	22.86	21.02	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein . . . . .	...	...	492.31	492.31	...	...	22.86	22.86	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Pegu (inland)—</i>														
Hemada . . . . .	...	...	583.33	583.33	...	...	22.86	22.86	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	24.81	24.81	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Upper Burma—</i>														
Mandalay . . . . .	...	...	583.33	457.14	...	...	22.61	21.48	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pakokka . . . . .	...	...	711.11	711.11	...	...	22.54	22.54	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Arakan—</i>														
Akyab . . . . .	...	...	583.33	583.33	...	...	29.63	30.77	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam—														
<i>Burma—</i>														
Halaganj (Sylhet) . . . . .	...	...	580	485	55	50	20.62	20.62	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Brahmaputra—</i>														
Goalpara . . . . .	...	...	480	400	57.5	57.5	19.37	20.62	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Gauhati</i> . . . . .	...	...	585	400	55	50	27.5	27.5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal—														
<i>Eastern—</i>														
Chittagong . . . . .	...	...	490	480	65	70	17.5	20	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca . . . . .	...	...	580	480	70	70	20	22.5	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Deltaic—</i>														
Calcutta	70	75	490	480	52.5	50	18.75	18.12	67.50	68.75	...	...	12.5	...
<i>Central—</i>														
Bardwan . . . . .	...	...	520	440	38.75	50	18.75	20	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapur . . . . .	...	...	5.10 to 5.50	4.40 to 5.20	5.0 to 5.3.75	110	10.37	20	...	115	...	...	...	...
<i>Western—</i>														
Pabna . . . . .	...	...	540	...	42.5	45	22.5	20	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur . . . . .	...	...	520	540	72.5	57.5	22.5	2.5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—														
<i>Bihar north—</i>														
Bhagalpur	80	57.5	470	480	45	45	18.12	20	90	90	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur . . . . .	...	...	457.5	457.5	33.28	36.25	20.94	20.91	266.56	160	...	...	...	...
<i>Bihar south—</i>														
Patna	65	60	440	420	40	47.5	20.78	20.62	20	20	...	...	...	...
<i>Orissa—</i>														
Cuttack	76.15	85.78	507.5	481.25	42.5	53.33	18.25	18.12	90	101.87	...	...	5	...
United Provinces—														
(a) AGRA—														
<i>Eastern—</i>														
Banarasi	63.75	73.33	583.33	488.91	44.01	43.12	23.7	22.24	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Central—</i>														
Cawnpore . . . . .	...	100	472.5	426.67	35 and 40	47.29	15.62	17.76	170	75	100	105	...	...
Jhansi	60	65.47	502.03	387.5	50	50	20	21.04	25	...	...	...	4.53	...
<i>Western—</i>														
Meerut . . . . .	...	...	583.28	476.41	40	47.08	17.34	17.34	...	...	58.28	...	...	...
Agra . . . . .	...	...	495.21	423.67	57.18	57.18	17.76	17.4	110	80	180	190	6.67	...
<i>Submontane, West—</i>														
Shahjahanpur	72.66	...	480	420	40	...	20	20.62	180	...	120 and 130	120 and 140	...	...
(b) OUDH—														
<i>Southern—</i>														
Lucknow . . . . .	...	...	515	450	33.33	50	20	20.94	...	...	120	125	5	...
<i>Northern—</i>														
Fyzabad . . . . .	...	...	515	455	30	35	20.62	20.94	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Not reported yet

WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MARCH—continued

DISTRICTS	RICE, UNHUSKED		RICE, HUSKED		WHEAT		FLOUR (WHEAT)		BARLEY		JAWAR		BAJRA		RAJ
	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	
Rajputana—															
Eastern—															
Ajmer†	...	26.67	...	...	...	29.37	...	...	...	29.58	...	29.58	...	34.70	...
Punjab—															
Southern—															
Ferozpur	...	29.69	51.56	58.25	34.06	32.08	38.12	36.41	...	22.19	...	...	...	...	...
Central—															
Lahore	32.5	31.87	51.56	50	33.12	31.72	41.87	36.25	...	28.59	27.5	...	31.87	30	...
South-eastern—															
Delhi	30	30	66.87	61.56	36.25	33.28	48.12	40	25.78	25.78	22.5	27.5	27.5	28.75	...
Submontane—															
Amritsar	38.28	33.28	54.22	53.28	35	30	38.59	33.28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Rawalpindi	...	...	50.25	56.25	38.12	35	42.5	38.12	26.25	25	...	...	...	30	...
Western—															
Lyallpur	...	...	50	50	35	32.5	32.12	35.62	27.5	27.5	...	...	...	...	...
Multan	28.75	27.5	...	45	37.81	...	41.87	...	28.41	...	28.12	32.5	31.3	33.12	...
N.-W. Frontier Province—															
Peshawar	...	24.68	61.51	...	40.99	35.36	45.68	40.99	26.77	23.12	30.78	30.05	32.07	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	...	62.5	40	39.62	...	...	...	...	25.59	...	30	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—															
Karachi	...	...	50.62	55	42.5	40	...	...	...	34.09	31.87	32.5	33.28	37.19	...
Shikarpur	...	...	62.5	...	37.5	36.56	...	...	...	29.37	...	30.25	31.87	35.68	...
Quetta	...	...	...	...	40 to 43.12	38.12 to 40.62	62.5	65	35	28.75	32.5	35.31	...	...	...
Bombay—															
Deccan and Karnatak—															
Dharwar	...	...	...	...	37.76	...	...	...	...	...	24.09	...	...	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	...	...	40.62	...	...	...	...	...	26.2	27.03	28.85	31.40	...
Poona	...	...	...	50.99	47.34	...	...	...	34.69	...	...	33.33	37.5	41.67	...
Khandesh and N.-E.															
Deccan—															
Ahmadnagar	...	...	50.46	57.65	37.92	...	...	...	...	...	34.53	29.11	31.35	34.74	...
Dhulia	...	...	...	...	43.44	...	...	...	...	...	...	31.93	37.34	...	...
Gujarat—															
Surat	...	...	...	...	...	41.82	...	...	...	...	39.85	38.91	34.58	38.91	...
Ahmedabad	...	...	52.5	51.25	38.75	...	...	...	30	...	31.25	...	31.25	...	...
Central Provinces—															
Western—															
Nagpur	...	...	42.25	32.75	35.25	32.87	47	44.5	...	...	34.12	38.25	...	...	...
Central—															
Jubbulpore	...	...	38.12	36.37	40	33.87	47	42.12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eastern—															
Raipur	...	...	36	35.25	30	31	44.5	47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Berar—															
Akola	...	...	45.25	39.75	41.5	34.75	...	...	...	...	26	26	...	...	...
Amravati	...	...	44.75	39	35.75	35.62	...	...	...	...	25	25	...	...	...
Madras—															
South, central—															
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36.1	34.4	31.7	31.8	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—															
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29.2	29	...	...	...
Cuddapah	48.6	35.1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34.9	32.1	34	31	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, central—															
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, south—															
Madras	35.5	38.6	53.6	50.8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore	30	28.8	53.9	51	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southern—															
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	39.1	39.1	40.2	45	...
Mysore—															
Mysore	24	20	56	56	60	54	51.09	47.97	...	...	25	25	...	...	...
Bangalore	32	24	70	60	64	53	70.16	67.70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of cleaned rice
† Not reported yet

(figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

	MAIZE		GRAM		ARHAR DAL		OATS		COTTON SEED		LINSSEED		MUSTARD AND RAPESSEED		DISTRICTS
	1918	1919	1918	1919	1918	1919	1918	1919	1918	1919	1918	1919	1918	1919	
															Rajputana—
		32-22	...	25-63	...	...	...	61-50	...	...	...	145-42	...	...	Eastern— Ajmer
															Punjab—
			24-22	21-09	...	...	...	...	27-84	28-72	...	...	...	...	Southern— Ferozpur
20	25	26-25	23-75	38-12	39-12	26-87	33-28	25	26-25	60	87-66	56-25	47-08		Central— Lahore
26-56	22-12	25	20-62	35	38-28	...	...	25	25	100	100	57-5	55		South-eastern— Delhi
	23-44	26-72	22-5	...	...	...	...	26-25	27-5	...	...	55	55		Submontane— Amritsar
26-87	25-62	27-5	24-87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		Northern— Rawalpindi
25-62 27-5	21-06 28-12	26-87 28-44	22-5 24-22	...	...	...	...	24-06 24-53	26-25 24-84	...	...	...	56-25 48-75		Western— Lyallpur Multan
30-05	27-97	28-06 30	26-15 22-5	35-16	37-19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	N.-W. Frontier Province— Peshawar Dera Ismael Khan
		30	27-81 29-37	...	...	...	...	...	26-56	...	...	...	60-62		Sind and Baluchistan— Karachi Shikarpur
32-61	34-37	...	...	61-25	61-25	37-5	45	...	...	...	...	...	...		Quetta
															Bombay—
											50-86 45-79	72-62	...	...	Deccan and Karnatak— Dharwar Sholapur Poona
		28-85 31-25	30-47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Khandesh and N.E. Deccan— Ahmadnagar Dhulia
		37-5 30	...	...	...	38-75	...	...	30	30-31	...	...	...	...	Gujarat— Surat Ahmadabad
		32-62	25-25	38-75	30-62	...	...	...	22-5	22-5	57-87	72-87	...	...	Central Provinces— Western— Nagpur
		26-62	25	38-12	36-37	40	...	...	22-25	23-5	50	72-75	44-5	47	Central— Jubbulpore
		30	...	34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Eastern— Raipur
		34 26-25	34 28-25	42-5 34-12	33-25 26	...	...	...	21 20-62	20 22-5	60 61-5	85-25 62-25	...	...	Berar— Akola Amravati
		51-6	44-3	...	...	...	...	...	35-2	25-2	...	...	...	...	Madras— Southern, central— Coimbatore Salem
		36-9	36-0	...	...	...	...	...	23-1	31-8	...	...	...	...	Central— Bellary Cuddapah Karnul
				35-7	37-1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	East Coast, central— Nellore
		35	38-3	...	...	...	44-6 50-9	48-1 61-8	33-4	30-8	...	...	...	...	East Coast, south— Madras Tanjore Trichinopoly
				34	31-7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Southern— Madura
		24 27	22 25	54 58	44 50	68-59	68-59	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysore— Mysore Bangalore

WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MARCH—continued

DISTRICTS	RICE, UNHURKED		RICE, H. SKED		WHEAT		FLOUR (WHEAT)		BARLEY		JAWAR		BAJRA		RAGI
	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913
Rajputana—															
Eastern—															
Ajmer†	...	26.67	...	...	...	39.37	...	...	...	29.58	...	29.58	...	34.70	...
Punjab—															
Southern—															
Ferozpur	...	29.69	51.56	53.23	34.06	32.03	38.12	36.41	...	22.19	...	...	...	...	...
Central—															
Lahore	32.5	31.87	51.56	50	33.12	31.72	41.87	36.25	...	28.59	27.5	...	31.87	30	...
South-eastern—															
Delhi	30	30	66.87	61.56	36.25	33.23	43.12	40	25.78	25.78	22.5	27.5	27.5	38.75	...
Bulandshahr—															
Amritsar	33.28	33.28	54.22	53.28	35	30	38.59	33.28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Rawalpindi	...	...	50.25	56.25	38.12	35	42.5	38.12	26.25	25	...	...	...	30	...
Western—															
Lyallpur	...	...	50	50	35	32.5	32.12	35.62	27.5	27.5	...	...	...	...	...
Multan	28.75	27.5	...	45	37.81	...	41.87	...	28.44	...	28.12	32.5	32.5	33.12	...
N.-W. Frontier Province—															
Peshawar	...	34.63	61.51	...	40.09	35.36	45.68	40.09	26.77	23.12	30.78	30.05	32.97	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	...	62.5	40	30.02	...	...	...	...	25.59	...	30	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—															
Karachi	...	...	50.62	55	42.5	40	...	...	...	34.69	31.87	32.5	33.28	37.19	...
Shikarpur	...	...	62.5	...	37.5	36.56	...	...	...	29.37	...	36.25	31.87	35.69	...
Quetta	...	...	...	...	40	38.12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
					43.12	40.62	...	65	35	38.75	32.5	35.31	...	...	...
Bombay—															
Deccan and Karnatak—															
Dharwar	...	...	...	...	37.76	...	...	...	...	...	24.69	...	...	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	...	...	...	40.62	...	...	...	...	26.2	27.03	28.65	31.40	...
Poona	...	...	...	50.09	47.34	...	...	...	34.69	...	...	33.33	37.5	41.67	...
Khandesh and N.-E.															
Deccan—															
Ahmadnagar	...	...	50.46	57.55	37.92	...	...	...	...	...	34.53	29.11	31.35	34.74	...
Dhulia	...	...	...	...	43.44	...	...	...	...	...	...	31.93	37.34	...	...
Gujarat—															
Surat	...	...	...	...	...	41.82	...	...	...	...	33.85	38.91	34.58	38.91	...
Ahmadabad	...	...	52.5	51.25	38.75	...	...	...	30	...	31.25	...	31.25	...	...
Central Provinces*—															
Western—															
Nagpur	...	...	42.25	32.75	35.25	32.87	47	44.5	...	...	34.12	28.25	...	...	...
Central—															
Jabalpur	...	...	38.12	36.37	40	33.87	47	42.12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eastern—															
Raipur	...	...	36	35.25	30	31	44.5	47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Berar—															
Akola	...	...	45.25	39.75	41.5	34.75	...	...	...	...	26	26	...	...	...
Amravati	...	...	44.75	39	35.75	35.62	...	...	...	...	25	25	...	...	...
Madras—															
South, central—															
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36.1	34.4	31.7	31.8	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32.2
Central—															
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29.2	29	...	...	...
Cuddapah	45.6	35.1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34.9	32.1	34	31	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, central—															
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28
East Coast, south—															
Madras	35.5	33.6	53.6	50.8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore	30	28.8	53.9	51	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31
Southern—															
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	39.1	30.1	40.2	45	...
Mysore—															
Mysore	34	30	56	56	60	54	51.99	47.97	...	...	25	25	...	...	26
Bangalore	32	34	70	60	64	53	70.16	67.70	...	...	...	...	...	...	28

* The figures under "Rice, harked" represent the prices of cleaned rice

† Not reported yet

WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MARCH—concluded

DISTRICTS	SHEAMUM (Til or Jangil)		GHI		SUGAR, RAW (Gurr)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF		TURMERIC		GRASS	
	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912
Rajputana—														
Eastern—														
Ajmer†	...	94.06	...	457.03	...	61.56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11.41
Punjab—														
Southern—														
Ferozpur	...	...	511.87	438.75	53.26	57.19	16.72	16.72	80	88.91	138.28	145.47	...	...
Central—														
Lahore	80	80	533.28	470	48.75	59.22	14.84	14.84	66.25	80	114.87	134.97	...	...
South-eastern—														
Delhi	80	88.75	550	510	45	50	17.5	17.34	80	80	110	130	11.41	13.12
Submontane—														
Amritsar	80	80	515	460	44.37	61.56	14.37	14.69	...	55	100	115	...	...
Northern—														
Rawalpindi	...	...	530	410	38.75	50	13.75	13.75	...	...	...	...	...	11.37
Western—														
Ludhiana	...	...	490	436.25	42.5	52.5	15	15	80	80	...	...	10	87.5
Multan	75.62	74.06	520	460	...	50	...	15.47	...	...	126.87	...	...	...
N. W. Frontier Province—														
Peshawar	...	...	492.29	441.41	54.22	72.71	15.36	15.78	114.27	...	...	...	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	68.75	...	...	43.75	61.25	...	14.84	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—														
Karachi	...	...	542.5	485	...	80.62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shikarpur	...	...	520.02	467.5	...	55.62	...	...	42.5	80	...	...	...	...
Quetta	...	...	540 to 577.5	465 to 53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay—														
Deccan and Karnatak—														
Dharwar	...	...	...	...	66.41	62.76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	...	...	64.18	59.03	...	...	236.52	175.42	...	115.75	...	...
Poona	...	...	571.93	46.15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Khandesh and N.-E.														
Deccan—														
Ahmadnagar	...	...	491.67	425	58.33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dhulia	...	...	...	520	...	71.67	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gujarat—														
Surat	...	95.16	562.19	472.97	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Almudabad	...	...	600	440	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces—														
Western—														
Jaipur	86.02	82	633.37	500	...	...	23.37	23.37	100	83.37	140	120	10	7.5
Central—														
Jabalpur	66.02	61.5	520	420	...	...	22.25	23.5	114.25	90	114.25	130.37	5.75	6.62
Eastern—														
Bilpur	...	...	500	400	...	...	20.5	25	190	140	95	125	...	...
Berar—														
Akola	62	78.8	571	387.75	...	...	19	19	105	99	...	...	...	...
Amraoti	83.37	83.25	590	450	...	...	20	19	200	148	...	...	8	10
Madras—														
South, central—														
Coimbatore	93.1	89.4	487.9	487.9	51.2	52.9	22.4	21.9	...	...	67.1	80.6	...	...
Salem	...	...	445.2	445.2	...	...	...	...	168.4	168.4	85.7	114.7	...	...
Central—														
Bellary	66.2	77.2	508	441.5	47.7	67.4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chidambaram	...	...	460.5	427.8	...	...	...	...	...	...	52.7	82.4	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	116.6	116.6	74.1	82.3	...	...
East Coast, central—														
Nellore	...	...	500	363.6	...	...	15.7	15.7	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, south—														
Madras	79.1	74.1	493.8	493.8	49	54.7	12.8	12.5	189.4	181.7	61.8	80.6	...	...
Tanjore	...	...	533.3	466.6	...	...	13.1	13.1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	574.4	641.9	...	...	17.6	17.6	123.4	107.1	...	...	...	...
Southern—														
Madura	87	84.2	675.7	540.5	...	...	...	...	106.8	106.8	...	...	...	...
Mysore—														
Mysore	80	72	505.73	428.59	68.54	68.54	...	...	205.68*	197.13*	120	120	3.65	3.65
Bangalore	72	72	531.41	411.41	55.68	00	...	...	240*	248.12*	154.27	171.41	5.88	5.88

* Includes octroi duty amounting to Rs. 108 per 10 maunds

† Not reported yet

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

STRAW		JAWAR STALKS		BHUSA (WHITE)		BRAN		SHEEP, PER SCORE		PLOWH BULLOCKS, PAIR		KEROSENE OIL, PER TIN		DISTRICTS
1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	
...	9.37	...	15.78	...	...	...	30.78	...	100	...	85	...	2.91	Rajputana— Rajkot— Ajmer
...	...	6.72	...	5.78	...	...	...	90	90	150	150	2.47	2.37	Punjab— Southern— Ferozepur
...	2.37	...	25	22.19	140	180	170	160	2.5	2.37	Central— Lahore
...	...	1.0	13.12	1.0	...	22.5	21.56	80	80	150	150	2.17	2.12	South-eastern— Delhi
...	8.75	...	22.5	18.28	100	100	...	...	2.37	2.37	Submontane— Amritsar
...	10.25	...	...	20	90	90	120	100	2.25	2.12	Northern— Rawalpindi
...	8.75	...	22.5	25	100	100	140	140	2.58	2.44	Western— Lyallpur
...	20.81	...	...	...	...	...	2.58	2.44	Multan
...	6.15	...	...	19.74	16.41	{ 60 to 100 }	{ 60 to 100 }	{ 60 to 200 }	{ 60 to 200 }	2.76	2.69	N.-W. Frontier Province— Peshawar
...	2.87	2.5	Dera Ismael Khan
...	7.5	...	17.81	16.87	...	...	...	...	2.06	1.94	Sindh and Baluchistan— Karachi
...	7.5	7.5	25.31	20.87	{ 100 to 200 }	{ 100 to 200 }	...	...	2.37	2.22	Shikarpur
...	2.37	2.25	Quetta
...	70	...	...	...	2.34	...	Bombay— Deccan and Karnatak— Dharwar
...	2.38	1.98	Sholapur
...	2.28	2.05	Poona
...	23.59	34.27	...	...	...	...	2.06	1.97	Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan— Ahmadnagar
...	2.34	2.12	Dhulia
...	Gujarat— Surat
...	23.75	22.5	...	...	...	...	2.25	2.19	Ahmadabad
...	...	26.02	13.37	...	...	...	...	50	50	100	100	1.87	1.87	Central Provinces— Western— Nagpur
...	30	28.5	60	60	70	70	1.75	1.87	Central— Jubbulpore
...	2.37	2.25	Eastern— Raipur
...	...	17.5	18	...	...	...	...	92	82	58	57	2	1.87	Berar— Akola
...	...	16	12.25	...	...	33.87	33.87	60	60	75	80	2.25	2.12	Amritoti
...	...	8.2	8.2	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	50	2.38	1.94	Madras— South, Central— Coimbatore
7.8	7.8	...	...	...	...	...	...	80*	80*	...	...	...	2.08	Salem
...	...	6.8	6.8	...	...	...	...	100*	100*	140	140	2.25	2.25	Central— Bellary
...	2.19	2	Cuddapah
...	2.5	2.25	Karnul
3.6	3.6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1.76	1.59	East Coast, central— Nellore
...	29.4	38.3	123.75*	96.75*	...	...	1.82	1.79	East Coast, south— Madras
...	13.5	13.2	135*	120*	...	...	2.06	1.66	Tanjore
...	32.8	41.1	...	...	...	...	2.43	2.27	Trichinopoly
15	12.9	...	...	...	...	25	16.9	...	...	40	40	2	2	Southern— Madura
3.05	2.02	4.43	3.65	36.72	36.72	80	80	100	100	2.75	2.25	Mysore— Mysore
5.88	5.88	33.8	33.8	160	160	{ 120 to 150 }	{ 120 to 150 }	2	2	Bangalore

* Sheep or goats

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

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RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MARCH 1913

Districts	WHEAT		BARLEY		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLUH (<i>An tropogon sorghum</i>)		BAJRA OR CUMBU (<i>Pennisetum typhoides</i>)	
	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Best sort		Common		Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month
					Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month				
Burma—												
<i>Tenasserim—</i>												
Mergui . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 9	8 13	7 12	7 12	...	...	...	...
Tavoy . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 14	11 9	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	6 13	6 13	...	...	8 2	8 2	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
<i>Pegu (deltaic)—</i>												
Pegu . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	11 3	10 12	...	...	...	...
Rangoon . . . . .	...	7 4	...	...	...	8 1	...	8 12	...	...	...	...
Maubin . . . . .	...	...	...	...	8 9	8 9	9 5	10 12	...	...	...	...
Bassein . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 6	8 13	9 —	8 12	...	...	...	...
<i>Pegu (inland)—</i>												
Tharawadi . . . . .	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...
Hensada	5 2	5 2	...	...	8 1	8 1	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Prome . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 2	8 1	11 3	10 11	...	...	...	...
Toungoo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	8 2	8 2	8 12	8 12	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	6 1	6 1	8 6	8 6	...	...	...	...
<i>Upper Burma—</i>												
Mandalay	9 8	7 12	...	...	8 13	9 6	10 —	9 13	...	...	...	...
Bhamo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	8 3	8 3	9 11	8 15	...	...	...	...
Pakokka . . . . .	...	...	...	...	7 14	7 4	9 10	7 12	17 14	17 14	...	...
Meiktila . . . . .	...	15 2	...	...	7 2	7 —	8 1	8 2	15 6	15 —	...	...
<i>Arakan—</i>												
Sandoway	3 4	3 4	...	...	8 1	8 1	9 5	9 5	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpyn	5 —	5 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Akyab . . . . .	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 8	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Assam—												
<i>Burma—</i>												
Sylhet . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 —	10 8	10 —	...	...	...	...
Caohar	8 —	8 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	10 2	10 12	...	...	...	...
<i>Hill tracts—</i>												
Khási and Jaintia Hills	6 4	6 —	...	...	3 8	3 4	8 —	8 4	...	...	...	...
Garo Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	7 —	8 8	...	...	...	...
Manipur	7 —	8 —	...	...	18 —	18 —	20 —	20 —	...	...	...	...
Naga Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	7 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
<i>Brahmaputra—</i>												
Goalpara	11 —	12 —	...	...	4 8	5 —	8 —	8 8	...	...	...	...
Kamrup	8 —	7 12	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Darrang	5 8	6 —	...	...	6 —	7 —	10 8	11 —	...	...	...	...
Nowgong . . . . .	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	11 —	12 —	...	...	...	...
Sibsagar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur	7 —	7 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Bengal—												
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Chittagong . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Noakhali . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Backerganj . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Maimensingh	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	8 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Tippora . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 12	...	...	...	...
Dacca	9 —	9 —	16 —	16 —	...	...	8 8	8 12	...	...	...	...
<i>Deltaic—</i>												
Khulna . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
24-Parganas . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Howrah . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	11 0	10 12	18 —	12 13	...	...	7 —	7 6	12 —	11 —	12 8	12 8
Hooghly . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Krishnagarh)	12 5	12 5	8 8	8 8
Jessore	8 —	8 —	10 —	11 —	8 —	8 —
Faridpur	12 —	13 4	7 8	7 12

• Not reported yet

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MARUA OR BAGI (<i>Bleumine</i> <i>coracana</i>)		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (<i>Setaria</i> <i>italica</i>)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (<i>Cicer</i> <i>arietinum</i>)		MAIZE (<i>Zea Mays</i>)		ARHAR DAL		SALT		Districts
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Burma—
...	9 5	9 5	...	...	7 9	7 9	17 12	17 12	Tenasserim—
...	11 2	10 11	...	...	6 14	6 14	17 12	17 12	Mergui
...	15 8	7 12	...	...	10 5	7 12	17 8	17 8	Tavoy
...	8 8	8 9	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Monlmein and
...	9 8	9 8	...	...	8 13	8 13	14 —	14 —	Aniherat
...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	17 —	17 —	Pegu (deltaic)—
...	9 7	9 11	...	...	8 8	8 8	14 4	14 4	Pegu
...	9 7	9 7	...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	Rangoon
...	8 4	8 4	18 4	18 4	5 13	5 13	14 —	14 —	Maubin
...	11 10	11 11	18 5	18 5	7 5	7 2	16 —	16 —	Bassein
...	14 4	10 12	...	...	5 9	5 9	11 6	11 6	Pegu (inland)—
...	10 8	10 5	19 10	19 12	7 10	7 8	17 12	17 12	Tharawadi
...	4 —	4 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	14 8	14 8	Henzada
...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	16 —	16 —	Prome
...	10 —	9 —	...	...	9 —	8 12	18 —	17 —	Toungoo
...	9 —	9 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Thayetmyo
...	7 4	7 4	10 —	10 —	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	Upper Burma—
...	6 —	6 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 —	10 —	Mandalay
...	5 —	4 —	20 —	20 —	5 —	4 —	10 —	10 —	Blamo
...	6 —	6 —	...	...	5 4	5 4	10 —	10 —	Pakokku
...	6 —	6 —	...	...	5 —	4 8	8 —	8 —	Meiktila
...	10 —	10 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Arakan—
...	12 —	10 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Sandoway
...	7 —	9 —	...	...	7 —	6 8	13 —	16 —	Kyaukpada
...	8 —	9 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Akyab
...	9 —	9 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	Assam—
...	9 —	9 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	15 —	15 —	Burma—
...	10 —	9 —	...	...	7 8	7 —	22 —	22 —	Sylhet
...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Cachar
...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Hill tracts—
...	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	Khasi and Jaintia
...	11 —	12 —	...	...	10 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	Hills
...	8 —	8 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Garo Hills
...	11 —	12 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	20 —	20 —	Manipur
...	13 8	13 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	19 8	19 8	Naga Hills
...	14 8	14 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Lushai Hills
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	20 —	20 —	Brahmaputra—
...	8 —	9 12	...	...	8 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	Goalpara
...	Kamrup
...	Darrang
...	Nowgong
...	Sibsagar
...	Lakhimpur
...	Bengal—
...	Eastern—
...	Chittagong
...	Noakhali
...	Buckerganj
...	Maimensing
...	Tippora
...	Dacca
...	Deltic—
...	Khulna
...	24 Parganas
...	Howrah
...	Calcutta
...	Hooghly
...	Nadia (Krishnagarh)
...	Jessore
...	Faridpur

RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MARCH 1913—continued

DISTRICTS	WHEAT		BARLEY		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLAM (<i>Andropogon sorghum</i>)		BAJRA OR CUMBU (<i>Pennisetum typhoides</i>)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Best sort		Common		Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month
					Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month				
Bengal—continued												
Western—												
Bankura	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Burdwan . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 —	...	...	...	...
Birbhum	7 8	8 4	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 8	...	...	...	...
Midnapur . . . . .	...	9 —	...	...	...	...	10 10	10 10	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad	10 8	11 8	15 —	15 8	...	...	8 12	9 —	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Pabna . . . . .	...	10 10	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi	9 12	9 12	16 8	16 8	...	...	7 8	7 14	...	...	...	...
Malda	8 —	8 —	14 —	20 —	...	...	7 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Bogra	8 7	12 —	...	...	...	...	6 10	7 6	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 6	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur	10 8	10 13	...	...	...	...	8 6	8 6	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hills—												
Darjeeling	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—												
Bihar, north—												
Purnea	10 —	11 —	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Bhagalpur	10 —	10 —	15 —	16 —	...	...	8 12	8 14	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga	8 12	9 14	...	...	...	...	8 4	9 6	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	9 —	10 —	14 —	15 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—												
Champan	11 —	11 8	17 —	19 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Champan	10 —	10 8	19 —	20 —	...	...	8 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Santal Parganas	9 —	8 12	18 —	8 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Monghyr	11 —	10 12	17 —	16 —	...	...	8 10	9 —	...	...	...	...
Gaya	10 —	10 8	14 —	...	...	...	8 —	8 8	14 —	...	...	...
Patna	10 —	11 8	...	18 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	18 —	17 —	12 —	12 —
Shalabad	11 4	11 —	12 —	14 —	...	...	9 8	10 —	...	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur—												
Singbhum	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 —	...	...	...	...
Manbhum	9 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	9 8	9 —	...	...	13 —	...
Ranchi	9 8	9 14	15 —	15 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Palamu	10 15	11 8	...	12 6	...	...	9 —	9 9	...	...	...	...
Hazaribagh	8 —	9 —	13 —	10 —	...	...	7 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Orissa—												
Puri	9 13	9 13	...	...	...	...	9 13	9 13	...	...	...	...
Cuttack	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	...	...	...	...
Balasore	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 12	...	...	...	...
Sambalpur	10 12	11 —	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—												
(a) AGRICULTURE—												
Eastern—												
Mirzapur	10 4	10 4	14 —	13 —	5 —	5 —	7 8	7 8	15 8	15 8	13 8	13 8
Banars	11 2	11 6	13 9	13 9	6 2	6 2	7 1	7 5	15 11	15 11	14 1	13 9
Ghazipur	10 9	10 8	12 1	12 15	5 15	6 8	8 10	8 10	15 11	15 11	12 14	12 14
Jaunpur	9 9	10 4	14 8	13 10	5 1	5 6	7 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Almabad	9 8	9 8	16 —	16 —	5 8	5 12	7 8	7 8	19 —	18 10	16 —	15 8
Central—												
Bandu	12 4	12 4	17 —	17 —	4 8	4 8	9 —	8 8	19 —	20 —	15 8	15 8
Fatehpur	10 8	10 12	16 8	16 8	7 8	8 —	8 8	9 —	20 —	20 —	16 —	16 —
Hamirpur	12 8	12 2	15 13	15 13	5 10	5 10	7 8	7 8	19 8	20 14	17 —	15 13
Jalau	12 8	12 8	18 —	18 —	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	19 —	19 —	16 —	16 —
Cawnpore	10 8	10 —	15 12	15 8	...	...	8 4	8 8	17 8	17 8	15 8	15 8
Jhansi	10 8	10 8	15 6	15 12	5 —	5 1	7 8	7 8	16 14	16 7	14 12	14 10
Etawah	10 12	10 4	16 8	16 8	8 —	8 —	8 8	9 —	17 8	18 8	16 4	16 4
Farukhabad	11 2	11 2	15 13	15 10	3 14	3 14	7 13	8 8	15 10	16 4	15 13	15 15
Mainpuri	11 4	11 8	18 —	17 —	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	17 —	17 —
Etah	11 8	11 12	18 —	18 —	4 —	4 —	8 8	8 —	18 —	17 —	15 —	16 —
Western—												
Meerut	10 8	10 8	14 —	14 4	3 —	3 —	7 —	7 —	15 —	14 12	14 8	14 8
Agra	10 4	10 —	10 12	15 8	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	15 8	15 8
Muttra	10 —	10 12	15 8	15 —	5 —	5 —	7 8	7 8	18 —	18 —	15 —	15 —
Aligarh	11 —	11 8	16 —	15 —	3 8	3 8	5 —	5 —	15 8	16 8	15 —	16 8
Bulandshahr	11 —	11 8	17 —	16 —	3 —	3 —	5 —	5 —	16 —	16 —	16 —	16 —
Submontane, east—												
Ballia	10 1	11 1	14 —	14 —	5 14	5 14	8 13	9 2	...	...	...	...
Asamgarh	10 —	10 8	13 8	13 —	6 —	6 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	17 —	...
Gorakhpur	12 2	12 2	15 2	16 —	8 2	7 11	10 3	10 10	18 7	18 7	15 4	15 4
Basti	11 8	11 8	17 —	18 —	6 —	6 —	7 —	10 —	...	...	...	...

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

MARUA OR RAOI (<i>Eleusine coracana</i>)		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (<i>Setaria italica</i>)		GRAM, CHENNA, OHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (<i>Cicer arietinum</i>)		MAIZE (<i>Zea Mays</i>)		ANJAS DAL		SALT		DISTRICTS.
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	18 8	13 —	...	...	11 —	10 —	20 —	19 —	Bengal—continued
...	12 4	13 —	...	...	10 8	10 —	21 —	21 —	<i>Western—</i>
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Bankura
...	{ 11 — to 11 8	10 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Bardwan
...	16 4	15 8	...	...	10 8	11 —	20 —	20 —	Birbham
...	10 8	12 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Midnapur
...	13 8	13 8	...	...	8 4	8 1	15 12	15 12	<i>Murshidabad</i>
...	10 —	11 —	12 —	12 —	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	<i>Northern—</i>
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	8 7	9 8	19 8	19 8	Pabna
...	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Rajshahi
...	12 5	12 10	...	...	9 9	9 9	18 —	17 —	Malda
...	11 8	11 8	...	...	12 —	12 —	17 —	17 —	Bogra
9 —	11 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 —	11 —	6 8	6 8	13 —	13 —	Jalpaiguri
...	Dinajpur
...	Rangpur
...	<i>Hills—</i>
...	Darjeeling
...	Bihar and Orissa—
...	18 —	12 —	14 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	<i>Bihar, north—</i>
15 6	17 9	...	...	13 12	15 —	13 12	18 14	9 8	10 —	20 —	20 —	Purnea
...	13 8	13 8	14 4	15 6	9 14	10 6	17 9	16 11	Bhagalpur
...	14 —	14 —	15 —	16 —	10 —	11 —	19 —	19 —	Darbhanga
...	16 —	17 —	16 —	17 —	10 8	11 —	19 —	19 8	Muzaffarpur
20 —	21 —	...	...	18 8	14 —	15 4	17 —	10 —	10 —	18 —	18 —	Saran
...	18 —	12 —	10 8	13 —	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Champaran
...	15 8	15 —	15 10	16 —	9 —	9 —	18 14	18 14	<i>Bihar, south—</i>
...	...	14 8	12 —	14 —	14 —	14 —	15 —	10 8	10 —	17 —	17 —	Santhal Parganas
...	...	15 —	15 —	14 —	15 —	17 —	18 —	11 —	11 —	20 —	19 12	Monghyr
...	15 —	14 8	15 8	16 —	9 —	10 —	19 —	19 —	Gaya
...	11 8	11 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	16 —	17 —	Patna
...	12 —	12 8	13 —	13 —	9 —	9 8	18 —	16 —	Shushtabad
16 —	20 —	...	...	11 —	11 8	11 8	12 —	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	<i>Chota Nagpur—</i>
...	12 6	11 13	14 1	15 8	10 2	10 2	18 9	18 9	Singbhum
14 8	15 —	...	...	12 —	12 8	13 —	14 4	10 —	9 12	18 —	16 —	Mandhum
...	10 8	11 2	...	...	8 13	8 13	25 —	25 —	Ranchi
...	11 13	11 2	...	...	9 13	8 8	24 8	24 8	Palamanu
...	10 8	10 —	...	...	8 —	7 8	20 —	18 —	<i>Hazaribagh</i>
...	{ 8 to 13 —	13 —	...	...	{ 8 — to 9 —	8 — to 8 8	16 —	16 —	<i>Orissa—</i>
...	...	15 8	15 8	14 —	13 8	15 8	15 —	10 —	10 8	16 —	16 —	Puri
...	...	15 11 1/2	15 11 1/2	13 9	13 9	16 12	16 12	10 —	10 5	16 14	16 14	<i>United Provinces—</i>
...	...	10 9	10 9	13 1	13 1	16 13	16 13	10 9	10 9	16 10	16 10	(a) AGRA—
...	14 5	16 1	17 13	16 14	10 10	10 10	17 7	17 7	<i>Eastern—</i>
...	16 8	16 8	...	...	12 —	12 —	19 —	19 —	Mirzapur
...	18 8	18 8	...	...	13 —	13 8	19 —	18 12	Benares
...	16 —	16 —	16 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	18 —	18 —	Ghazipur
...	17 —	17 —	...	...	11 4	11 4	17 —	17 —	Jaunpur
...	19 8	19 4	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	Allahabad
...	...	18 —	18 8	17 —	17 —	16 8	16 8	11 8	12 —	23 —	23 —	<i>Central—</i>
...	...	15 8	15 8	16 9	16 14	...	...	8 8	8 8	19 12	19 12	Banda
14 8	15 8	...	...	11 8	18 8	19 8	19 8	18 8	11 8	20 8	20 8	Fatehpur
...	16 4	16 4	19 8	19 8	10 7	11 2	19 8	20 2	Hamirpur
...	17 —	17 —	20 —	20 —	12 —	12 —	20 —	20 —	Jalaun
...	16 8	17 —	21 —	20 —	13 —	13 —	20 —	20 —	Cawnpore
...	14 12	14 12	16 —	15 8	12 —	12 —	23 8	23 8	Jhansi
...	16 8	16 —	17 —	17 —	13 8	12 8	22 —	21 8	Etawah
...	18 —	18 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	21 —	21 —	Farukhabad
...	...	8 —	7 —	15 8	15 8	18 —	19 8	11 8	12 —	23 —	23 —	Mainpuri
...	15 —	15 4	16 8	17 —	12 —	11 —	21 —	21 —	Etah
...	13 8	14 15	17 8	17 8	11 1	11 1	16 4	16 4	<i>Western—</i>
...	14 8	15 4	17 —	18 —	10 8	10 8	17 —	17 —	Muerat
...	...	14 13	14 13	10 —	16 15	18 7	18 7	11 9	12 —	18 8	18 8	Agra
...	17 —	17 —	19 —	19 —	11 —	11 —	19 —	19 —	Muttra
...	Aligarh
...	Bulandshahr
...	<i>Submontane, east—</i>
...	Ballia
...	Azamgarh
...	Gorakhpur
...	Basti

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DISTRICTS.	WHEAT		BARLEY		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR CUMBU (Pennisetum typhoides)	
	Half month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Best sort		Common		Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
					Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month				
United Provinces— <i>continued</i>												
(a) AGRA— <i>continued</i>												
<i>Submontane, west—</i>												
Shahjahanpur	11 —	11 8	16 —	16 —	6 8	7 —	10 —	10 —	17 —	17 —	17 —	17 —
Budaun	10 15	11 2	16 8	16 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	7 —	17 —	17 —	15 8	15 12
Pilibit	10 12	10 12	15 —	15 —	5 3	5 3	8 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Bareilly	10 8	10 14	15 8	15 12	4 4	4 4	7 12	7 4	10 —	17 —	15 12	15 12
Moradabad	11 4	10 14	16 2	16 2	3 2	3 6	9 2	8 14	18 2	17 12	15 6	15 2
Rijnor . . . . .	...	10 6	16 8	15 4	3 8	3 8	8 —	7 12	...	...	14 —	13 —
Muzaffarnagar	11 4	11 4	14 14	15 6	7 2	7 11	7 11	8 4	...	16 8	13 8	13 8
Saharanpur	10 14	10 10	16 —	16 8	3 8	3 8	6 14	7 8	16 —	18 —	14 4	14 4
Dehra-Dun	10 —	...	14 —	...	3 —	...	7 —	...	18 —	...	13 —	...
<i>Hills—</i>												
Naini Tal	8 8	8 8	11 —	12 —	3 —	3 —	6 8	6 8	11 —	12 —	10 —	10 —
Almora	9 4	...	11 —	...	4 —	...	7 8	...	...	...	...	...
Garhwal	12 —	12 —	13 —	13 —	4 —	4 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
(b) OUDH—												
<i>Southern—</i>												
Partabgarh	11 8	12 —	16 —	16 —	6 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	18 —	18 —	16 —	16 —
Sultanpur	10 8	11 —	17 —	16 8	5 —	5 —	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Rae-Bareilly	11 8	11 4	16 —	16 —	7 8	8 —	9 8	10 —	21 —	20 —	18 —	18 —
Unao	10 12	10 10	15 2	15 4	5 8	5 8	8 8	9 4	17 12	17 8	16 —	15 4
Lucknow	10 2	11 —	16 —	16 8	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	19 —	19 —	17 —	17 4
Hardoi	11 —	11 8	17 —	17 —	3 8	3 8	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	17 8	18 —
<i>Northern—</i>												
Fyzabad	11 —	11 4	16 8	17 —	...	...	7 8	7 14	19 —	19 8	15 8	15 —
Barabanki	12 —	12 —	14 —	14 —	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	20 —	20 —	16 —	16 —
Gonda	10 8	11 4	16 8	17 4	4 4	6 4	8 12	9 2	18 8	20 4	18 8	17 —
Bahraich	10 —	11 8	20 —	21 —	6 —	6 —	9 8	9 8	22 —	21 —	20 2	20 8
Sitapur	11 8	12 —	18 —	18 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	20 —	21 8	18 —	18 —
Kheri	11 8	11 8	17 —	17 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	21 8	22 —	17 —	17 —
Rajputana—												
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Mewar (Udaipur)	9 10	9 6	11 5	11 4	6 —	6 —	6 13	6 12	13 3	13 8	11 5	11 4
Ajmer	8 9	...	11 12	...	5 8	...	7 —	...	13 —	...	12 8	...
Kishangarh	9 8	9 8	11 8	11 —	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	12 —	12 —	11 8	11 —
Tonk	10 10	10 12	14 14	14 8	4 4	4 4	6 6	5 5	17 —	1 —	15 15	16 —
Jaipur	9 8	9 12	12 14	12 14	4 15	4 15	5 11	5 11	15 7	15 7	13 6	13 6
Karauli	9 11	9 11	14 11	14 6	6 12	7 8	7 8	8 2	15 —	1 —	14 1	14 1
Dholpur	10 12	10 13	17 —	17 6 1/2	5 4	5 4	5 8	5 8	17 5	17 10 1/2	16 12	16 14 1/2
Bharatpur	10 4	10 4	14 2	14 2	4 14	4 14	5 2	5 2	16 —	16 —	4 2	14 2
Alwar	9 12	9 12	13 8	13 8	5 5	5 5	6 13	6 13	15 4	15 8	14 8	13 12
Deoli	10 15	10 15	12 8	13 —	5 —	5 —	6 —	6 —	15 8	15 6	13 12	13 12
Nasirabad	9 12	9 12	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	13 —	13 —	12 —	11 8
<i>Western—</i>												
Bikaner	9 8	9 —	13 —	13 8	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 8	10 —	9 8
Jaisalmer	7 12	7 10	...	...	4 11	4 15	6 10	6 10	10 9	10 6	9 2	9 12
Jodhpur	{ 8 — and 9 4 }	{ 8 — and 9 — }	13 4	13 —	5 3	5 3	6 8	6 8	13 4	13 4	{ 10 8 and 12 — }	{ 10 8 and 12 4 }
Central India—												
Indore	11 —	11 4	12 —	12 —	7 —	5 —	8 —	7 —	18 —	19 8	12 —	12 —
Nimach	10 —	10 —	...	...	6 12	6 12	7 —	7 —	15 —	15 —	12 —	12 —
Gwalior . . . . .	...	11 4	...	...	...	5 —	...	6 —	...	...	...	...
Punjab—												
<i>Southern—</i>												
Hissar	10 12	10 12	16 —	16 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	14 —	14 —	12 8	13 4
Ferozpur	11 4	10 8	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	15 —	...	...
<i>Central—</i>												
Lahore	10 4	9 12	14 12	13 8	...	...	7 8	7 12	14 —	14 —	12 —	12 —
Gujranwala	11 —	10 6	17 8	15 8	7 8	8 —	15 8	15 8	12 8	12 8
Gujarat	11 4	10 8	16 —	16 —	7 —	7 —	12 —	11 8
Jhelum	10 —	10 —	14 —	14 —	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 —

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Half- month of report	Pre- vious half month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half month	
United Provinces— <i>continued</i>												
(a) AGEA— <i>continued</i>												
Shimontane, west—												
...	...	14 —	14 —	16 —	16 —	22 —	...	13 —	13 —	19 —	19 —	Shahjahanpur
...	14 4	15 —	18 —	19 4	12 —	12 —	20 —	20 —	Budaun
...	15 8	15 8	20 —	21 —	10 8	9 12	20 —	20 —	Pilibit
...	14 4	14 8	18 —	18 —	10 —	10 8	21 —	21 —	Baroli
...	14 6	14 6	18 6	16 12	10 10	11 6	20 8	20 8	Moradabad
...	14 8	14 —	...	...	9 8	9 8	19 8	19 8	Bijnor
...	14 7	14 14	...	16 8	8 4	8 4	20 14	20 14	Musaffarnagar
...	14 14	14 14	17 8	18 —	9 9	9 9	20 12	20 12	Saharanpur
15 —	18 —	...	15 —	...	11 —	...	16 —	...	Dehra-Dun
Hills—												
...	11 —	11 8	11 —	12 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	Naini Tal
12 8	10 4	...	...	...	8 8	...	13 —	...	Almora
20 —	20 —	16 —	16 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	10 —	10 —	Garhwal
(b) OUDH—												
Southern—												
...	17 —	18 —	...	...	11 4	12 —	20 —	20 —	Partabgarh
...	18 —	...	...	18 8	19 8	...	...	12 —	12 —	21 —	21 —	Sultanpur
24 —	24 —	14 —	14 —	18 —	16 8	16 —	16 —	12 —	12 —	20 —	20 —	Rae-Bareilly
...	...	12 —	12 —	16 4	16 12	...	...	11 12	12 —	20 —	20 —	Unao
...	16 4	17 4	21 —	21 —	10 8	11 —	19 —	18 —	Lucknow
23 —	23 —	20 —	20 —	17 —	17 —	21 —	24 —	10 —	12 —	20 —	20 —	Hardoi
Northern—												
...	...	15 8	15 8	17 12	18 12	19 —	20 4	9 12	10 6	19 —	18 —	Fyzabad
...	...	12 —	12 —	18 —	18 —	20 —	20 —	11 —	11 —	20 —	20 —	Barabanki
12 —	13 —	12 —	12 —	16 8	17 4	20 8	20 8	10 4	10 10	17 —	17 —	Gonda
...	17 —	17 —	19 8	19 —	11 8	12 —	19 —	19 —	Bahraich
17 —	17 —	18 —	17 —	19 —	19 8	20 —	22 —	12 —	12 —	20 —	20 —	Sitapur
23 —	24 —	10 —	10 —	16 —	17 8	21 —	21 8	11 8	11 —	18 —	19 —	Kheri
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
...	...	9 6	9 6	12 13	12 9	12 7	13 12	8 10	8 10	18 7	18 7	Mewar (Udaipur)
...	...	6 8	...	13 8	...	13 8	...	10 8	...	24 —	...	Ajmer
...	12 8	12 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	24 —	24 —	Kishanganj
14 14	15 15	17 —	...	14 —	...	...	21 4	21 4	Tonk
...	...	5 15	5 15	{ 13 14 and 15 15 }	{ 13 14 and 15 7 }	15 7	15 7	16 7	16 7	23 10	23 10	Jaipur
...	...	12 8	...	16 4	16 4	16 4	...	...	...	20 10	20 10	Karauli
...	...	11 —	11 —	18 4	18 6	...	...	11 8	11 10	22 —	22 —	Dholpur
...	...	9 —	9 —	16 —	16 —	17 —	17 —	11 12	11 12	22 —	22 —	Bharatpur
...	...	9 12	9 12	17 2	17 —	15 6	15 6	18 8	18 8	25 —	25 3	Alwar
...	14 10	14 12	18 6	18 6	9 —	9 —	22 12	22 12	Deoli
...	14 —	14 —	8 8	8 8	25 —	25 —	Nasirabad
Western—												
...	14 —	13 —	8 —	8 8	22 8	22 —	Bikaner
...	8 8	8 11	{ 22 — and 24 — }	{ 22 — and 24 — }	Jaisalmer
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Central India—												
...	16 —	14 8	18 —	19 —	7 8	7 12	18 —	18 —	Indore
...	15 —	13 —	8 4	9 —	22 —	22 —	Nimach
...	6 —	...	17 4	12 —	...	20 —	Gwalior
Punjab—												
Southern—												
...	16 8	16 8	...	...	...	...	24 —	25 —	Hissar
...	16 —	14 8	16 8	15 —	...	...	22 —	24 —	Ferozpur
Central—												
...	...	10 12	11 8	15 —	14 4	...	...	10 —	10 —	25 —	27 —	Lahore
...	16 —	15 —	14 8	13 8	22 —	27 —	Gujranwala
...	14 —	14 —	14 —	13 8	26 —	27 —	Gujrat
...	14 4	14 4	14 —	15 —	8 —	8 —	23 —	29 —	Jhelam

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DISTRICTS	WHEAT		BARLEY		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR CUMBU (Pennisetum typhoidesum)	
	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Best sort		Common		Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month
					Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month				
Punjab—continued												
South-eastern—												
Gurgaon	11 —	11 —	15 8	15 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	16 —	16 —	14 8	14 8
Delhi	10 —	10 4	15 8	15 —	3 —	3 —	5 12	5 12	17 —	17 —	14 —	14 —
Rohtak	11 —	11 —	16 —	16 —	...	...	9 —	8 8	16 8	16 8	14 —	14 —
Karnal	10 10	11 6	15 —	17 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	14 —	14 —
Submontane—												
Ambala	10 6	11 —	15 8	15 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	19 —	19 —	12 12	12 12
Ludhiana	11 —	11 —	16 4	16 4	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	13 —	13 —
Jullundur	12 —	12 —	15 —	15 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	17 —	17 —	12 —	12 —
Hoshiarpur	11 8	11 12	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	10 —	10 —
Gurdaspur	11 —	11 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	...	...
Amritsar	11 —	11 —	...	13 —	...	...	7 4	7 4	13 8	14 8	12 —	12 —
Sialkot	10 12	11 —	16 8	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	14 —	14 —
Hills—												
Simla	9 8	9 8	17 —	17 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	18 —	15 —	10 8	10 8
Kangra	10 8	10 8	13 8	13 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Rawalpindi	10 4	10 —	14 8	13 12	...	...	7 —	7 —	13 —	12 12	1 —	11 12
Attock	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	11 8	11 8
Western—												
Shahpur	10 4	10 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	12 —	...	13 —	13 —
Jhang	11 —	11 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	12 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
Lyallpur	11 —	11 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Multan	10 4	10 8	13 8	13 8	...	...	8 4	8 4	13 8	13 8	11 12	11 12
Montgomery	10 5	10 4	12 —	12 4	...	...	6 8	6 8	13 4	13 4	11 —	12 —
Muzaffargarh	10 12	10 12	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	12 —
Dera Ghazi Khan	10 —	10 —	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 1	7 1	12 8	13 12	11 —	12 8
N.-W. F. Province—												
Hazara	8 12	8 12	13 4	13 4	3 6	3 6	7 —	7 —	...	...	11 —	10 5
Peshawar	9 8	9 —	14 —	14 —	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	12 —	12 —	11 —	11 —
Kohat	10 2	10 —	15 —	15 —	4 8	4 8	9 4	9 4	12 12	12 12	11 7	10 13
Banna	11 4	10 7	14 6	14 1	4 6	3 7	8 2	8 2	12 8	15 —	10 5	11 9
Dera Ismael Khan	10 —	9 11	13 4	13 7	3 8	3 8	6 4	6 5	14 —	16 1	13 2	12 15
Tochi	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Kurram	9 8	9 8	17 8	17 8	8 12	8 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malakand	10 8	10 8	17 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	5 6	5 8	13 —	13 —	...	...
Wano	8 15	8 11	11 2	11 2	3 —	3 —	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—												
Karachi	9 —	9 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 —	10 8	11 8
Hyderabad	8 4	8 4	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 —	7 8	11 —	11 —	11 —	11 —
Thar and Parkar (Mirpur Khas)	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 8	7 —	11 8	11 8	11 —	11 —
Shikarpur	10 —	10 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	13 —	13 —
Upper Sind Frontier	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	13 —	13 —	13 8	13 8
Quetta	{ 9 4 to 10 —	{ 9 4 to 10 —	10 13	10 13	3 4	3 4	6 14	5 11	11 7	11 7	10 —	10 —
Bombay—												
Konkan—												
Karwar	7 13	6 13	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 6	7 6	10 9	10 2	9 12	8 12
Ratnagiri	7 7	6 12	...	...	7 4	7 4	7 13	7 13	10 6	10 6	10 10	10 10
Alibag	7 6	7 6	...	...	7 0	7 6	8 2	8 2	...	...	9 8	9 8
Bombay	6 8	6 8	...	...	5 12	5 12	7 13	7 13	9 13	9 13	10 10	10 10
Thanna	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 15	6 15	7 5	7 5	10 8	10 8	9 14	9 14
Deccan and Karnatak—												
Dharwar	9 6	8 7	...	...	8 5	8 5	8 13	8 13	12 12	12 12	11 9	10 10
Belgaum	8 9	8 13	...	...	7 7	7 7	7 15	7 15	11 9	11 9	11 10	11 10
Satara	7 12	7 6	...	...	6 4	6 4	7 2	7 2	11 4	10 15	11 6	11 —
Sholapur	8 7	8 7	...	...	6 15	6 15	7 8	7 8	12 15	12 8	12 —	12 —
Bijapur	7 14	7 14	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 8	7 8	11 6	11 6	12 8	12 8
Poona	7 8	7 8	...	...	5 2	5 2	5 12	5 12	10 13	10 13	10 8	10 8
Khandesh and N.-E.												
Deccan—												
Ahmadnagar	11 1	9 9	...	...	6 4	6 4	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	11 3	10 3
Nasik	9 14	9 14	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 7	7 7	...	...	10 15	10 15
Dhulia	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 3	6 3	6 6	6 6	12 4	12 4	10 3	10 3
Jalgaon	9 8	9 9	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 9	6 9	12 15	13 8	12 15	12 11
Gujarat—												
Surat	9 11	9 11	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 5	8 5	11 2	11 2	10 10	10 10
Broach	8 8	8 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	7 —	7 —	13 8	12 —	11 8	11 8
Kaira	7 8	7 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 8	5 8	13 8	13 8	12 —	12 —
Baroda	8 8	8 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	10 —	10 —	10 —	10 —
Ahmadabad	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 4	5 4	7 —	7 8	12 —	12 —	12 —	12 —
Godhra	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 8	7 8	...	...	11 —	11 —
Disa	10 —	8 8	...	...	5 4	5 4	5 8	5 8	14 8	15 —	14 8	14 —
Kathiawar—												
Rajkot	9 8	9 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 8	5 8	13 —	13 —	10 6	10 6
Central Provinces—												
Western—												
Nimar	10 8	10 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	7 9	7 9	13 8	12 —	...	...
Hoshangabad	12 —	11 1	...	...	4 12	4 12	7 1	7 1	13 1	13 1	...	...
Betul	11 6	11 6	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	12 14	12 14	...	...
Chindwara	11 7	10 10	6 11	6 11	10 8	10 8	12 11	12 11
Nagpur	10 14	11 2	5 3	5 3	9 2	9 2	11 8	11 8
Wardha	10 —	10 —	5 2	4 3	9 1	9 1	11 8	12 —

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...	16 12	16 8	14 —	14 —	10 —	10 —	20 —	20 —	Punjab—continued
...	15 8	15 —	14 8	17 —	11 —	11 —	22 —	22 —	<i>South-eastern—</i>
...	16 8	16 8	15 —	15 —	12 —	12 —	21 —	21 —	Gurgaon
...	15 4	16 8	17 8	17 —	10 12	10 8	20 —	20 —	Delhi
19 8	19 8	15 8	15 8	15 8	15 2	18 —	16 8	10 8	10 8	27 —	27 —	Rohtak
...	...	8 8	8 8	16 —	16 —	17 —	17 —	...	...	25 —	25 8	Karnal
...	...	7 —	7 —	15 12	15 12	17 —	17 —	...	...	25 —	25 —	<i>Submontane—</i>
...	...	8 —	8 —	14 8	14 —	15 8	16 —	...	...	23 —	23 —	Amala
...	...	12 —	12 —	14 12	14 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	24 —	24 —	Ludhiana
...	14 12	15 —	15 8	15 —	10 —	10 —	26 8	26 8	Jalandhar
...	18 —	12 8	17 —	18 12	6 8	7 8	17 —	17 —	Hoshiarpur
...	10 8	10 8	11 8	12 —	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Gurdaspur
...	...	13 —	13 —	14 4	14 —	14 4	14 8	...	8 —	26 —	26 —	Amritsar
...	13 8	13 4	13 8	13 8	8 —	8 —	26 —	26 —	Sialkot
...	14 —	13 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	28 —	20 —	<i>Hills—</i>
17 —	17 —	17 —	17 —	13 12	13 4	14 —	14 8	...	...	21 —	21 —	Simla
...	14 —	14 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	24 —	24 —	Kangra
...	...	10 —	11 8	13 8	13 —	14 —	14 12	...	...	25 8	25 8	<i>Northern—</i>
...	14 4	14 2	11 8	13 8	...	8 —	21 —	21 —	Rawalpindi
...	12 12	12 12	...	...	7 —	7 —	24 —	...	Attock
...	12 —	12 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	<i>Western—</i>
...	11 2	11 2	11 —	11 —	...	...	20 —	20 —	Shahpur
...	...	10 —	11 —	13 —	13 —	13 —	13 —	11 —	11 —	25 —	25 —	Jhang
...	18 6	18 1	12 7	12 7	...	...	25 8	25 8	Lyalpur
...	13 15	11 5	14 1	13 10	...	...	31 4	31 14	Multan
...	18 2	12 —	...	...	...	...	27 —	27 —	Montgomery
...	9 —	9 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	23 —	23 —	Musaffargarh
...	12 —	12 —	12 8	12 8	...	...	19 —	19 —	Dera Ghazi Khan
...	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	<i>N. W. F. Province—</i>
...	Hazara
...	Peshawar
...	Kohat
...	Banna
...	Dera Ismael Khan
...	Tochi
...	Kurram
...	Malakand
...	Wao
...	13 —	13 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	26 8	26 8	<i>Sind and Baluchistan—</i>
...	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	22 —	22 —	Karachi
...	Hyderabad
...	7 8	8 —	...	...	...	...	31 —	30 —	Thar and Parkar
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	23 —	23 —	(Mirpur Khas)
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	16 —	16 —	Shikarpur
...	11 —	10 13	11 54	11 4	6 —	6 —	16 —	16 —	Upper Sind Frontier
...	Quetta
11 9	12 8	...	...	10 7	10 7	...	...	7 10	7 10	20 10	20 10	<i>Bombay—</i>
9 6	9 6	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 2	8 2	22 2	22 2	<i>Konkan—</i>
...	9 —	9 —	...	...	8 5	8 5	23 12	23 12	Karwar
...	7 14	...	...	10 10	10 10	...	...	8 5	8 15	16 14	16 14	Ratnagiri
10 5	10 5	...	...	11 2	11 2	...	...	8 10	8 10	23 2	23 2	Alibag
...	10 15	10 15	...	...	7 12	7 12	19 8	19 8	Bombay
...	11 7	10 14	...	...	7 13	7 13	22 10	22 10	Thanna
11 11	12 8	...	...	13 9	13 9	...	...	9 8	8 8	19 —	19 —	<i>Dccan and Karnata—</i>
...	18 2	13 2	...	...	8 2	8 2	18 —	18 —	Dharwar
...	10 14	10 14	...	...	8 5	8 5	20 8	20 8	Belgaum
...	11 8	12 2	...	...	8 1	7 8	17 13	18 13	Satara
...	13 —	12 —	...	...	9 2	9 2	17 8	17 8	Sholapur
14 4	14 4	14 2	14 2	7 6	7 6	21 —	21 —	Bijapur
...	11 11	11 11	7 10	7 10	18 11	18 11	Poona
...	14 6	14 6	10 3	10 3	19 9	19 8	<i>Khandesh and N. E.</i>
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...	10 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	24 9	24 9	Ahmadnagar
18 —	14 —	12 —	12 —	8 8	8 8	26 8	26 8	Nasik
11 8	11 8	10 8	10 8	8 —	8 —	21 —	21 —	Nasik
...	18 —	18 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	26 8	26 8	Dhulia
...	13 —	13 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	25 —	25 —	Jaigaon
...	10 —	9 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	25 —	25 —	<i>Gujarat—</i>
...	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Surat
...	13 3	12 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	17 5	17 5	Broach
...	18 —	15 1	...	...	10 2	10 2	16 —	16 —	Kaira
...	13 2	13 2	...	...	7 14	8 9	13 —	13 —	Baroda
...	12 11	12 11	...	...	8 11	8 11	16 —	16 —	Ahmadabad
...	11 14	11 14	...	...	9 13	9 13	16 —	16 —	Godhra
...	10 13	10 13	...	...	9 8	10 11	17 —	17 —	Dia
...	<i>Kathiawar—</i>
...	Rajkot
...	<i>Central Provinces—</i>
...	<i>Western—</i>
...	Nimar
...	Hoshangabad
...	Betul
...	Chhindwara
...	Nagpur
...	Wardha

RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MARCH 1913—concluded

DISTRICTS	RICE								JAWAR OR CHOLU (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR CUMRU (Pennisetum typhorum)	
	WHEAT		BARLEY		Best sort		Common		Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month
	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month				
Central Provinces—												
continued												
Central—												
Narsinghpur . . .	10 5	10 5	...	...	4 13	4 13	8 —	8 —	14 4	14 4	...	...
Saugor . . .	11 —	11 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	8 —	8 —	15 —	14 6	...	...
Damoh . . .	11 15	11 15	...	...	6 9	6 9	7 12	7 12	15 11	15 11	...	...
Jubbulpore . . .	10 —	1 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	10 —	10 8	...	14 —	...	...
Mandla . . .	10 12	10 12	...	...	7 2	7 2	9 2	9 2	...	...	...	...
Seoni . . .	11 5	11 5	...	...	6 14	7 2	9 10	10 2	...	12 —	...	...
Balaghat . . .	8 15	8 15	...	...	5 13	5 13	9 2	9 2	...	...	...	...
Bhandara . . .	10 4	10 4	...	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	...	...	...	...
Chanda . . .	10 —	10 —	...	...	6 11	6 11	8 —	8 —	18 5	18 5	...	...
Eastern—												
Bilaspur . . .	11 11	11 11	...	...	9 2	9 2	12 13	12 13	...	...	...	...
Raipur . . .	12 8	12 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Drug . . .	18 5	13 13	...	...	10 5	10 4	10 13	10 13	...	...	...	...
Berar—												
Buldana . . .	9 1	8 12	...	...	5 —	5 —	7 4	7 4	11 2	11 13	...	...
Akola . . .	8 15	9 9	...	...	5 6	5 13	6 —	9 —	13 7	15 —	...	...
Amrathi . . .	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	8 11	8 11	15 —	15 —	...	...
Yestmal . . .	9 11	10 7	...	...	4 6	4 6	8 11	8 11	16 —	16 —	...	...
Hyderabad—												
Secunderabad . . .	6 9	6 1	9 5	9 1	3 8	3 8	6 6	5 14	10 10	10 11	10 8	10 8
Madras—												
Malabar Coast—												
Malabar . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	...	...	...	...
S. Canara . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 1	8 1	...	...	...	...
South, Central—												
Coimbatore . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	11 —	11 —	12 5	12 5
Nilgiris . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 3	6 3	...	...	...	...
Salem . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 6	5 6	10 3	9 13	8 9	8 4
Central—												
Bellary . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	14	14 4	...	...
Anantapur . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	13 8	14 9	...	...
Cuddapah . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 3	6 3	12 9	12 6	12 11	12 11
Kafni . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	13 12	13 11	...	...
East Coast, north—												
Ganjam . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6 14	...	...	13 15	14 14
Godavari . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 2	8 2	16 5	16 5	...	...
East Coast, central—												
Kistna . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 9	9 9	11 4	13 12	...	...
Guntur . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	12 —	13 1	11 —	11 —
Nellore . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	13 —	13 6	12 8	14 —
East Coast, south—												
Madras . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...
Chingleput . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 5	7 5	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	6 13	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	9 9	9 9
Tanjore . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	...	...	...	10 15
Trichinopoly . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 —	14 15	14 7	12 5	12 5
Southern—												
Tinnevely . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 8	11 11	11 12	11 6	11 10
Madura . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	11 —	11 —	9 9	9 4
Mysore—												
Mysore . . .	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	...	...
Bangalore . . .	6 —	6 —	5 4	5 4	5 —	5 —	5 8	5 8	...	...	...	...
Coorg—												
Coorg . . .	6 —	6 —	6 —	6 —	7 8	7 8	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Aden . . .												
Aden . . .	6 12	6 12	...	...	4 10	5 5	5 9	5 9	6 15	9 5	8 10	9 5

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

MARUA OR RAGI (<i>Hausine coracana</i>)		KANGNI OR KANUN, ITALIAN MILLET (<i>Sesaria italica</i>)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR GUNAGA (<i>Cicer aristatum</i>)		MAIZE (<i>Zea Mays</i>)		ARHAR DAL		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
												Central Provinces —continued— <i>Central—</i>
...	...	...	...	18 —	16 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	16 —	16 —	Narsinghpur
...	...	...	...	16 —	15 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	20 —	20 —	Saugor
...	...	...	...	15 10	14 1	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Damoh
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	...	...	9 8	10 —	17 —	17 —	Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	14 7	14 7	...	...	8 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Mauddia
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Seoni
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	8 14	8 14	15 12	15 12	Balaghat
...	...	...	...	11 15	11 15	...	...	9 4	9 4	16 13	16 13	Bhandara
...	...	...	...	18 5	11 7	...	...	10 —	10 —	20 —	20 —	Chanda
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	10 11	10 11	12 13	12 13	<i>Eastern—</i>
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	...	...	11 4	11 4	16 —	16 —	Bilaspur
...	...	...	...	18 —	11 12	...	...	9 —	9 —	15 4	15 4	Raipur
...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	...	...	9 1	9 1	16 —	16 —	Drug
...	...	...	...	11 10	12 1	...	...	8 —	8 9	15 —	15 —	Berar—
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	...	...	11 12	11 4	17 2	17 2	Buldana
...	...	...	...	11 10	11 10	...	...	10 11	11 10	16 —	16 —	Akola
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Amratoti
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Yectmal
11 10	11 10	...	...	11 10	11 10	...	...	12 3	11 10	14 —	14 —	Hyderabad—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Secunderabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 8	19 8	Madras—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 13	20 13	<i>Malabar Coast—</i>
12 9	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 8	19 8	Malabar
12 11	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	S. Canara
12 10	12 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	<i>South central—</i>
13 14	14 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 7	17 7	Coimbatore
18 5	19 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 15	19 15	Nilgiris
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 3	21 3	Salem
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 9	16 1	<i>Central—</i>
16 5	16 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 —	20 9	Bellary
18 10	14 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 —	20 —	Anantapur
18 9	18 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 —	24 —	Cuddapah
12 5	18 7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27 —	27 —	Karnul
10 13	10 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27 —	27 —	<i>East Coast, north—</i>
14 10	14 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 —	24 —	Ganjam
11 12	11 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27 —	27 —	Vizagapatam
10 10	10 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27 —	27 —	Godavari
12 15	12 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27 —	27 —	<i>East Coast, central—</i>
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27 —	27 —	Kistna
...	12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 —	24 —	Guntur
18 5	12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26 3	26 3	Nellore
13 10	13 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26 15	28 7	<i>East Coast, south—</i>
18 8	12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26 —	26 —	Madras
15 —	15 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	23 2	23 2	Chingleput
14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 12	6 12	23 1	23 1	N. Arcot
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23 1	23 1	S. Arcot
18 —	18 —	...	...	15 —	15 8	...	...	8 —	7 8	18 —	18 —	Tanjore
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	8 10	8 15	22 —	22 —	Trichinopoly
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23 1	22 1	<i>Southern—</i>
...	24 3	24 3	Tinnevely
...	23 13	23 13	Madura
...	Mysore—
...	Mysore
...	Bangalore
...	Coorg—
...	Coorg
...	Aden

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IMPORTS (in hundredweights) of COTTON (raw), WHEAT, RICE (including paddy), GRAM and PULSE, LINSEED, RAPE and MUSTARD SEED, JUTE, and TEA, into certain ports in January 1913, and in the corresponding period of 1912.

COTTON, RAW											Whence exported
Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		Karachi		Madras ports		TOTAL		
	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	
By Rail and River—											By Rail and River—
Assam	10,681	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,681	104	Assam
Bengal	566	6,244	...	...	...	...	...	...	566	6,244	Bengal
Bihar and Orissa	—	79	—	...	—	...	—	...	—	79	Bihar and Orissa
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	8,579	26,958	27,226	94,094	...	4,178	...	...	35,905	125,200	U. P. of Agra and Oudh
Punjab	771	6,244	55,046	133,756	134,930	272,626	...	...	190,737	412,636	Punjab
Sind and Br. Baluchistan . . . . .	...	...	...	...	26,305	101,237	...	...	26,305	101,237	Sind and Br. Baluchistan
Raj. and C. India . . . . .	...	1,811	52,962	123,458	...	650	...	...	53,963	125,414	Raj. and C. India
Bombay	169	783	430,104	136,180	...	...	1,811	396	432,104	137,359	Bombay
Central Provinces and Berar	33,247	7,099	787,148	506,940	...	...	...	...	319,390	574,039	Cent. Provs. and Berar
Nizam's Territory	179	196	66,167	118,096	...	...	8,002	2,508	66,348	118,800	Nizam's Territory
Madras . . . . .	...	...	43	812	...	...	14,666	18,775	14,709	19,117	Madras
Mysore . . . . .	...	...	1,439	1,130	...	...	26	114	1,475	1,244	Mysore
TOTAL	53,412	49,018	1,442,130	1,318,991	161,225	378,686	24,515	21,798	1,681,232	1,668,483	TOTAL
By Sea—											By Sea—
Bengal	7,389	8,506	...	3,242	...	...	...	...	7,389	11,748	Bengal
Bihar and Orissa	—	...	—	...	—	...	—	...	—	...	Bihar and Orissa
Bombay	1,966	1,899	...	1,024	1,118	...	15,550	7,811	18,629	10,234	Bombay
Sind and Br. Baluchistan . . . . .	...	...	61,578	97,467	...	...	...	...	61,578	97,467	Sind and Br. Baluchistan
Madras	1,680	4,837	975	6,484	...	...	...	...	2,605	11,321	Madras
Burma	13,136	28,209	1,165	108	...	...	357	...	14,658	28,317	Burma
Non-Br. Ports in India . . . . .	...	...	20,569	158,999	5	55	...	...	20,574	158,454	Non-Br. Ports in India
Foreign countries	1,439	1,256	97,639	17,115	...	93	4,694	4	104,022	18,468	Foreign countries
TOTAL	25,810	44,207	162,126	268,689	1,118	148	20,601	7,815	229,655	336,009	TOTAL
TOTAL IMPORTS	79,222	93,225	1,604,256	1,587,680	162,343	378,834	45,116	29,603	1,910,937	2,004,492	TOTAL IMPORTS

N.B.—Provinces named in the first and last columns include their chief port or ports. "Madras ports" includes the ports of Madras, French Port (Pondicherry and Karikal, exclusive of sea imports from Non-British Ports and Foreign countries), Negapatam, Tuticorin, Calicut, Cocanada, Vizagapatam, Cuddalore, Cochin, Tellicherry, Cannanore, Masulipatam, Mangalore, Quilon, Porto Novo, and Badagara.

Figures previous to 1st April 1912 in this statement against "Bengal" include those relating to "Bihar and Orissa," but exclude those for Eastern Bengal districts (viz., Bakerganj, Faridpur, Dinajpur, Rajshahi, Rangpur, Bogra, Pabna, Jalpaiguri, Malda, Dacca, Mymensingh, Tippera including Hill Tippera, Chittagong including Port and town, Noakhali and Chittagong Hill Tracts); these latter are included in the figures shown against "Assam."

Whence exported	WHEAT								RICE (INCLUD			
	Calcutta		City of Bombay		Karachi		TOTAL		Calcutta		Karachi	
	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913
By Rail and River—												
Assam	618	...	...	...	...	...	618	...	646 745	9 870	...	...
Bengal	101 340	3 654	...	...	...	...	101 340	3 654	1 311 397	1 485 41	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	—	44 069	...	...	...	...	—	44 069	—	173 139	...	...
U. P. of Agra and												
Oudh	229 228	229 786	18 375	124 793	297 408	344 505	545 006	701 094	2 825	513	...	7
Punjab	...	...	18 688	13 235	884 489	788 788	903 122	802 023	227	181	222	7 700
Sind and Br. Balu-												
chistan	...	...	...	...	17 423	9 424	17 423	9 424	...	...	162 464	189 665
Raj. and C. India	1 421	1 995	63 641	181 538	1 777	668	66 80	13 201	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	28 0 8	3 191	...	...	28 038	3 191	...	...	...	...
Cent. Provs. and												
Behar	65 000	20 245	225 146	141 440	...	...	290 152	164 625	1 287	4 155	...	...
Nizam's Territory	...	...	511	...	...	...	511	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	83	...	...
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	397,608	299,759	354,444	422,107	1,201,042	1,143,885	1,932,094	1,865,841	1,962,478	1,675,027	162,696	197,881
By Sea—												
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,241	...	...	130
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,788	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	722	81	24	81	746	...	...	156	251
Sind and Br. Balu-												
chistan	...	...	2,098	1,028	...	...	2,098	1,028	...	...	9,026	14,655
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,004	9,126	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in												
India	...	...	104	25	...	...	104	25	...	...	...	...
Foreign countries	...	...	210	...	20	...	230	...	141	16	...	1
TOTAL	...	...	2 412	1,775	51	24	2,463	1,799	7,886	28,930	9,813	15,088
TOTAL IMPORTS	397,608	299,759	356,856	423,972	1,201,093	1,143,909	1,955,557	1,867,140	1,969,864	1,703,957	172,408	212,410
Whence exported	LINSEED						RAPE AND MUSTARD SEED					
	Calcutta		City of Bombay		TOTAL		Calcutta		City of Bombay		TOTAL	
	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913
By Rail and River—												
Assam	555	16	...	...	555	16	2,676	1,037	...	...	2,676	1,037
Bengal	55,814	518	18	...	55,827	518	26,091	2,164	101	...	26,192	2 164
Bihar and Orissa	...	83,928	...	...	...	33,928	...	25,080	...	...	...	25 080
U. P. of Agra and												
Oudh	9,481	15,716	1,146	11,608	10,627	27,819	21,101	35,506	1,542	772	22 643	36 278
Punjab	...	...	619	334	619	334	19,430	24,932	...	6	19,439	24,987
Sind and Br. Balu-												
chistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raj. and C. India	...	...	4,426	7,324	4,426	7,324	16,334	12,719	30 7	378	19,291	13,097
Bombay	...	...	3,148	809	3,148	809	...	...	1,233	273	1,233	273
Cent. Provs. and												
Behar	...	...	9,484	5,114	9 424	5,114	22,705	2,440	6,757	756	29,462	3,196
Nizam's Territory	...	...	5,997	778	5,997	778	...	...	11	...	11	...
Madras	...	...	48	...	48	...	239	...	...	...	239	...
Mysore	...	...	7	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	65,850	50,178	24 888	25,962	90,788	76,140	108,585	108,928	12,651	2,184	121,236	106,112
By Sea—												
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Br. Balu-												
chistan	...	...	...	318	...	318	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in												
India	...	...	455	15	455	15	...	...	7	43	7	43
Foreign countries	...	4	710	94	710	98	2	...	...	14	2	14
TOTAL	...	4	1,165	427	1,165	431	3	...	7	62	9	62
TOTAL IMPORTS	65,850	50,182	26,053	26,389	91,903	76,571	108,587	108,928	12,658	2,246	121,245	106,174

* One maund of paddy is

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GRAM AND PULSE

Madras ports		TOTAL		Calcutta		City of Bombay		Karachi		TOTAL		Whence exported
1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	
1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	
86,681	15,868	646,745	9,800	12,353	...	...	...	...	...	12,353	...	By Rail and River—
—	50,086	1,807,988	1,501,009	412,918	50,646	21	...	...	...	412,939	30,646	Assam
74	108	2,899	638	807,803	270,211	154,323	186,451	69,151	29,877	581,277	486,539	Bengal
...	...	449	7,890	728	3,670	73,420	72,237	1,078,779	97,385	1,154,927	173,242	Bihar and Orissa
...	...	162,464	189,665	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	U. P. of Agra and
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ondh
27	187	27	187	...	15,197	33,036	34,085	11,826	2,680	11,826	9,890	Punjab
...	...	...	...	...	109	12,809	23,814	19,915	6,964	12,809	56,246	Sind and Br. Balu-
2,217	110	3,504	4,265	22,763	3,894	37,639	70,458	...	...	60,403	78,852	chistan
110	328	110	328	...	...	5,269	790	...	...	5,269	790	Raj. and C. India
255,271	263,397	255,358	263,490	...	2,018	...	98	...	...	...	2,116	Bombay
494	112	494	112	...	...	...	835	...	...	...	635	Cent. Provs. and
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Barar
844,874	890,736	2,470,038	2,203,144	757,225	466,007	318,517	288,768	1,179,671	144,006	2,255,413	949,381	Nizam's Territory
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Madras
250,443	189,012	256,684	189,142	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysore
43,773	92,554	43,959	92,805	...	...	309	4,280	471	1,003	780	5,283	Kashmir
18,791	24,054	28,417	38,709	...	...	4,635	2,809	164	...	4,799	2,809	TOTAL
22,882	17,478	22,882	17,478	8,241	1,892	439	...	...	...	3,681	1,892	By Sea—
41,097	68,778	45,101	77,904	3,172	318	...	379	...	...	3,172	697	Bengal
...	1,529	...	1,529	...	...	969	2,489	180	511	1,099	3,010	Bihar and Orissa
41	26	182	43	87	1,416	2,782	58	2,069	66	4,888	1,535	Bombay
379,527	849,185	396,725	399,153	6,450	3,626	9,194	9,510	2,834	1,580	18,418	14,716	Sind and Br. Balu-
724,401	679,921	2,868,768	2,596,297	763,675	470,283	327,651	348,278	1,182,505	145,586	2,273,881	964,097	chistan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Raj. and C. India
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bombay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cent. Provs. and
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Barar
...	Nizam's Territory
...	Madras
...	Mysore
...	Foreign countries
...	TOTAL
...	TOTAL IMPORTS

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Calcutta		Chittagong port		TOTAL		Calcutta		Chittagong port		TOTAL		Whence exported
1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	
1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	
1,307,589	66,027	66,666	...	1,374,225	66,027	83,781	61,025	17,193	22,878	100,974	84,903	By Rail and River—
811,179	1,898,837	4	41,898	811,183	1,940,750	2,335	33,886	5	46	2,340	33,886	Assam
8,048	12,996	...	...	8,048	12,996	67	59	...	...	67	59	Bengal
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	Bihar and Orissa
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	U. P. of Agra and
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ondh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Punjab
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sind and Br. Balu-
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	chistan
331	...	...	...	331	...	21	1	...	...	21	1	Raj. and C. India
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	Bombay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cent. Provs. and
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Barar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nizam's Territory
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysore
2,127,237	2,263,016	66,690	41,893	2,193,967	2,404,909	86,205	95,881	17,198	22,424	103,403	118,305	TOTAL
16,996	21,835	4	...	17,000	21,835	2,347	2,097	20	5	2,367	2,102	By Sea—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bengal
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bihar and Orissa
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bombay
...	...	...	...	...	...	70	90	...	...	70	90	Sind and Br. Balu-
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	chistan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Burma
...	18	...	...	...	18	6	11	...	...	6	11	Non-Br. Ports in
10,996	21,373	4	...	17,000	21,373	2,423	2,199	20	5	2,443	2,204	India
2,144,208	2,384,389	66,694	41,893	2,210,987	2,426,282	88,628	98,080	17,218	22,429	105,846	120,309	Foreign countries
...	TOTAL
...	TOTAL IMPORTS

taken as Equivalent to 25 seers of rice.

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Whence exported	WHEAT								RICE (INCLUD			
	Calcutta		City of Bombay		Karachi		TOTAL		Calcutta		Karachi	
	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913
By Rail and River—												
Assam	618	...	...	...	...	...	618	...	646,745	9,890	...	...
Bengal	101,840	8,654	...	...	...	...	101,840	3,654	1,311,397	1,485,143	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	44,069	...	...	...	...	...	44,069	...	175,189	...	...
U. P. of Agra and												
Oudh	229,228	229,796	18,375	126,793	297,493	344,595	545,006	701,094	2,835	513	...	7
Punjab	...	...	18,668	13,235	184,439	788,788	903,122	802,023	227	181	222	7,700
Sind and Br. Balu-												
chistan	...	...	...	...	17,423	9,424	17,423	9,424	...	...	162,404	100,605
Raj. and C. India	1,421	1,995	68,641	181,538	1,777	608	66,890	18,201	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	28,088	3,191	...	...	28,088	3,191	...	...	...	...
Cent. Provs. and												
Berar	65,008	20,245	225,146	141,440	...	...	290,151	164,685	1,287	4,155	...	...
Nizam's Territory	...	...	511	...	...	...	511	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	87	93	...	...
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	397,676	299,759	354,444	422,197	1,201,042	1,143,385	1,932,094	1,865,341	1,962,478	1,675,027	162,086	197,881
By Sea—												
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,241	...	...	180
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,786	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	722	81	24	31	746	...	...	156	251
Sind and Br. Balu-												
chistan	...	...	2,098	1,028	...	...	2,098	1,028	...	...	9,026	14,655
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,004	9,126	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in												
India	...	...	104	25	...	...	104	25	...	...	...	...
Foreign countries	...	...	210	...	20	...	230	...	141	16	...	1
TOTAL	...	...	2,412	1,775	51	24	2,463	1,799	7,386	28,930	9,812	15,038
TOTAL IMPORTS	397,608	299,759	356,856	423,972	1,201,093	1,143,409	1,955,557	1,867,140	1,969,864	1,703,957	172,498	212,410
Whence exported	LINSEED						RAPE AND MUSTARD SEED					
	Calcutta		City of Bombay		TOTAL		Calcutta		City of Bombay		TOTAL	
	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913
By Rail and River—												
Assam	555	16	...	...	555	16	2,676	1,087	...	...	2,676	1,087
Bengal	55,814	518	13	...	55,827	518	26,091	2,104	101	...	26,192	2,164
Bihar and Orissa	...	33,928	...	...	...	33,928	...	25,080	...	...	...	25,080
U. P. of Agra and												
Punjab	9,481	15,716	1,140	11,008	10,627	27,319	21,101	35,506	1,542	772	22,043	36,278
Sind and Br. Balu-			619	334	619	334	19,439	24,982	...	5	19,439	24,987
chistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raj. and C. India	...	...	4,426	7,324	4,426	7,324	16,234	12,719	3,077	378	19,291	13,097
Bombay	...	...	3,148	809	3,148	809	...	...	1,233	273	1,233	273
Cent. Provs. and												
Berar	...	...	9,484	5,114	9,484	5,114	22,705	2,440	6,757	756	29,462	3,196
Nizam's Territory	...	...	5,997	778	5,997	778	...	...	11	...	11	...
Madras	...	...	48	...	48	...	289	...	...	...	289	...
Mysore	...	...	7	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	65,850	50,178	24,838	25,962	90,798	76,140	108,585	108,928	12,651	2,184	121,236	106,112
By Sea—												
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Br. Balu-				318	...	318	...	...	...	...	...	...
chistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in			455	15	455	15	...	...	7	48	7	48
India	...	...	710	94	710	98	...	...	...	14	2	14
Foreign countries	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	...	4	1,165	427	1,165	431	2	...	7	62	9	62
TOTAL IMPORTS	65,850	50,182	26,053	26,389	91,903	76,571	108,587	108,928	12,658	2,246	121,245	106,174

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ING PADDY)*.												GRAM AND PULSE												Whence exported
Madras ports		TOTAL		Calcutta		City of Bombay		Karachi		TOTAL														
1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913													
86,681	15,808	646,745	9,800	12,353	50,646	21	...	...	...	12,353	50,646										
74	108	2,899	623	307,803	270,211	154,323	136,451	69,151	29,977	531,277	486,189													
...	...	449	7,890	728	3,670	75,420	72,237	1,078,779	97,985	1,154,927	173,242													
...	...	162,404	189,605	...	...	...	...	11,826	9,830	11,826	9,830									
27	187	27	187	...	109	12,809	23,814	...	0,964	56,811	56,246													
2,217	110	3,504	4,265	22,703	3,394	37,030	70,453	...	...	60,402	73,852											
110	326	110	326	...	...	5,269	790	...	...	5,269	790									
255,271	263,397	235,356	263,490	...	2,018	...	98	...	...	...	2,116										
494	112	494	112	...	...	...	835	...	...	...	835							
844,874	330,786	2,470,038	2,203,144	757,225	406,607	318,517	388,768	1,179,671	144,006	2,255,413	940,881													
250,443	139,012	256,684	180,142	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					
43,773	92,554	43,959	92,805	...	...	309	4,280	471	1,003	780	5,283											
18,791	24,054	28,417	38,709	...	...	4,635	2,309	164	...	4,799	2,309											
22,382	17,478	22,382	17,479	3,241	1,892	439	...	...	...	3,681	1,892										
44,097	65,778	45,101	77,914	3,172	318	...	379	...	...	3,112	697											
...	1,529	...	1,529	...	...	969	2,489	180	511	1,099	3,030											
41	26	182	43	37	1,416	2,782	53	2,069	66	4,888	1,535													
379,527	349,185	396,725	393,153	6,450	3,626	9,194	9,510	2,834	1,580	18,418	14,716													
724,401	679,921	2,866,768	2,596,297	763,675	470,233	327,651	348,278	1,182,595	145,586	2,273,831	964,097													
TOTAL												TOTAL												
JUNE												JULY												Whence exported
Calcutta		Chittagong port		TOTAL		Calcutta		Chittagong port		TOTAL														
1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913													
1,807,530	66,027	66,027	...	1,874,225	66,027	83,781	61,925	17,193	22,378	100,974	84,903													
811,179	1,898,87	4	41,893	811,183	1,940,750	2,335	33,856	5	46	2,340	33,831													
8,048	12,996	...	...	8,048	12,996	67	59	...	...	67	59									
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1				
...													
531	...	...	...	531	...	21	1	...	...	21	1								
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1						
...													
2,127,237	2,368,016	66,690	41,893	2,193,957	2,404,909	86,205	95,881	17,198	22,424	103,403	118,805													
16,986	21,355	4	...	17,000	21,355	2,347	2,097	20	5	2,367	2,102													
...													
...													
...	...	...	...	...	...	70	90	...	...	70	90						
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1				
18	...	...	...	18	...	6	11	...	...	6	11								
16,990	21,373	1	...	17,000	21,373	2,423	2,199	20	5	2,443	2,204													
2,144,238	2,384,389	66,694	41,893	2,210,987	2,426,282	88,628	98,080	17,218	22,429	105,846	120,509													
TOTAL												TOTAL												
taken as Equivalent to 25 seers of rice												TOTAL IMPORTS												

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Calcutta, April 8, 1913.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Simla, the 10th April, 1913.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India, during the week ending the 5th April 1913 is published for general information :

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI	...	Delhi City	1*	...
		Delhi-Rural area	34	24
		TOTAL	35	24
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND.	Northern	Bombay City	161	140
		Ahmedabad City . . . . .	...	...
		Ahmedabad District . . . . .	...	...
		Broach Port . . . . .	...	...
		Broach District . . . . .	...	...
		Kaira .. . . .	...	...
		Mahi Kantha Agency . . . . .	...	...
		Palanpur .. . . .	...	...
		Rewa Kantha	2	1
		Bulsar Port	4	2
		Surat Town and Port . . . . .	...	...
		Rander Port . . . . .	...	...
		Surat District	45	30
		Surat Agency . . . . .	...	...
		Bhiwadi Port	3	2
		Bandra	14	9
		Mahim .. . . .	...	...
		Bassein .. . . .	...	2
		Sanjan .. . . .	...	...
		Thana .. . . .	...	...
		Chirav .. . . .	...	...
		Chinchani Port . . . . .	...	...
		Tarapur Port . . . . .	...	...
		Ghiwadi .. . . .	...	...
		Joo .. . . .	...	...
		Thana District . . . . .	...	...
	Central	Ahmednagar District	2 (a)*	2 (a)*
		West Khandesh . . . . .	...	...
		East Khandesh District	7 (a)	6 (a)
		Nasik District . . . . .	...	...
		Poona City	4	3
		Poona District	2	2
		Satara	45	25
	Southern	Sholapur Town . . . . .	...	...
		Sholapur District . . . . .	...	...
		Panvel Port . . . . .	...	...
		Alibag .. . . .	...	...
		Kolaba District	18	10
		Vengurla Port	1	1
		Ratnagiri District	3	2
		Belgaum	47	30
		Hubli Town . . . . .	...	...
		Dharwar District	1	2
		Kanara .. . . .	...	...
		Bijapur .. . . .	...	...
		Bijapur Agency . . . . .	...	...
		Savantvadi State . . . . .	...	...

* Imported. (a) For two weeks ending 5th April 1913.

Presidency or Province	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Sind	Karachi Town and Port	18	8
		Karachi District . . . . .	...	...
	Political Charges	Sukkur " . . . . .	...	...
		Larkana " . . . . .	...	...
		Baroda State	12 (a)	8 (a)
		Cutch State	37	26
		Porbandar Port . . . . .	...	...
		Kathiawar Agency	8	3
		Kolhapur and Southern Maratha Country	55	48
		Satara Agency . . . . .	...	...
		Savanur State . . . . .	...	...
		Sholapur Agency . . . . .	...	...
		Akalkot State . . . . .	...	...
		Janjira State	14	9
		Marud Port . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL	492	371
	...	Anantapur District	2	1
		North Arcot District	25	22
		Bellary Town . . . . .	...	...
		Bellary Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Bellary District	4 (b)	8
		Mangalore Town and Port	5	5
		South Canara District . . . . .	...	...
		Chittoor District . . . . .	...	...
		Coimbatore Town	2 (b)	2 (b)
		Coimbatore District	8	7
		Ouddapah District . . . . .	...	...
		Ganjam "	1 (b)	1 (b)
		Malabar " . . . . .	...	...
		Salom " . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL	47	41
MADEAS PRESIDENCY	Burdwan	Burdwan District . . . . .	...	...
		Birbhum " . . . . .	...	...
		Bankura . . . . .	...	...
		Hooghly District . . . . .	...	...
		Howrah Town	1	1
		Howrah District	8	2
	Presidency	24-Parganahs	12	12
		Calcutta	104 (c)	95
	Dacca	Dacca Town . . . . .	...	...
		Dacca District . . . . .	...	...
		Mymensingh District . . . . .	...	...
	Chittagong	Faridpur District . . . . .	...	...
		Noakhali District . . . . .	...	...
	Rajshahi	Jalpaiguri District . . . . .	...	...
		Pabna District . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL	120	110

(a) Between the 29th March and the 4th April 1913.
 (b) One imported. (c) Three imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Forts.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	Patna Town	25	28
		Patna District	473	361
		Gaya Town	62	62
		" District	32	37
		Shahabad District	463	379
	Tirhut	Saran District	462	430
		Muzaffarpur District	192	168
		Darbhanga "	120	106
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr Town . . . . .	...	...
		Monghyr District	412	374
		Bhagalpur Town	11	8
		Bhagalpur District	31	26
	Chota Nagpur.	Champaran "	24	19
		Sonthal Parganas . . . . .	...	...
		Manbhum District . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL	2,807	2,018
United Provinces	Meerut	Saharanpur City	3	3
		Saharanpur District	87	61
		Muzaffarnagar District	188	188
		Meerut City	24	22
		Meerut District	222	187
	Agra	Bulandshahr District	43	22
		Aligarh District . . . . .	...	...
		Muttra City	3	3
		Muttra District	107	107
		Mainpuri "	42	30
	Rohilkhand	Etah "	11	8
		Baroilly City	44	29
		Baroilly District	28	27
		Bijnor "	11	10
		Budaun " . . . . .	...	2
		Moradabad City . . . . .	...	...
		Moradabad District	3	2
		Shahjahanpur City	31	23
	Allahabad	Shahjahanpur District	15	17
		Pilibhit "	7	8
		Farrukhabad City	9	9
		Farrukhabad District	63	79
		Etawah "	351	240
		Cawnpore City	90	90
		Cawnpore District	384	370
		Fatehpur "	132	118
		Allahabad City	18	18
		Allahabad District	186	179
	Jhansi	Jhansi City . . . . .	...	...
		Jhansi District	9	17
		Jalaun "	74	57
	Benares	Benares District	11	12
		Mirzapur City	133	110
		Mirzapur District	14	13
		Jaunpur "	252	252
		Ghazipur "	927	885
		Ballia "	373	356

The following corrections should be made in the return for the week ending 29th March 1913:—

Saran district read 755 cases 750 deaths for nil.
Muzaffarpur district read 173 cases 176 deaths for nil.
Etawah " " 165 deaths for 65 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
UNITED PROVINCES	Gorakhpur	Gorakhpur District	626	451
		Basti "	398	341
		Azamgarh "	891	808
	Kumaun	Naini Tal District	42	42
		Garhwal District . . . . .	...	...
		Lucknow City	270	270
	Lucknow	Lucknow District	284	284
		Unao "	658	567
		Rae Bareilly "	365	323
		Sitapur "	52	40
		Hardoi "	313	284
		Kheri "	6	6
		Fyzabad City	62	58
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	161	134
		Gonda "	50	42
		Bahraich "	168	151
		Sultanpur "	143	116
		Partabgarh "	22	18
		Bara Banki "	562	549
		TOTAL	8,988	7,788
PUNJAB	Ambala	Hissar District	13	6
		Gurgaon "	407	338
		Rohtak "	126	126
		Karnal "	189	185
		Ambala "	1	1
	Jullundur	Hoshiarpur District	42	42
		Jullundur "	34	15
		Ludhiana "	19	11
		Ferozepore "	29	10
		Amritsar City	6	6
	Lahore	Amritsar District . . . . .	...	...
		Lahore City	7	6
		Lahore District	13	7
		Gurdaspur "	19	11
		Sialkot "	46	42
		Gujranwala "	122	68
	Rawalpindi	Gujrat District . . . . .	...	...
		Jhelum "	59	25
		Rawalpindi "	2	2

The following corrections should be made in the return for the week ending 29th March 1913 :—

Basti district read 394 cases for 294 cases.
 Azamgarh " " 808 deaths for 867 deaths.
 Sultanpur " " 180 cases for 170 cases.
 Amritsar City 2 deaths for nil.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Multan	Montgomery District . . . . .	...	...
		Jhang "	6	5
		Musaffargah " . . . . .	...	...
		Patiala City	1	1
		Patiala State	116	102
		Kapurthala State	17	10
		Jind State	87	16
		Nabha "	5	5
		Patandi State . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL	1,316	1,037
BURMA	Pegu	Rangoon Town	48	38
		Insein District . . . . .	...	...
		Tharrawaddy District	2	2
		Pegu District	15	15
		Prome "	3	3
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	15	18
		Bassein District	2	2
		Henzada " . . . . .	...	...
		Myaungmya District	11	11
		Maubin "	8	11
	Tenasserim	Pyapon "	14	12
		Amherst District	2	2
		Toungoo " . . . . .	...	...
		Thaon " . . . . .	...	...
		Moulmein Town	38	39
	Magwe	Thayetmyo District . . . . .	...	...
	Mandalay	Bhamo District	3	3
	Meiktila	Meiktila District . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL	156	155
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur	Nagpur Town . . . . .	...	...
		Nagpur District	29	20
		Bhandara Town	44	33
		Bhandara District	5	5
		Ohanda " . . . . .	...	...
	Jubbulpore	Jubbulpore Town . . . . .	...	...
		Jubbulpore District	18	14
	Berar ...	Yectmal District . . . . .	...	...
		Akola "	8	4
		TOTAL	92	76

The following corrections should be made in the return for the week ending 29th March 1913:—
 Prome district read 8 deaths for nil.
 Hensada " " 2 " "
 Toungoo " " 20 " "

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	12	10
		Bangalore City . . . . .	...	...
		Bangalore District	15	14
		Mysore City . . . . .	...	...
		Mysore District . . . . .	...	...
		Hasan „ . . . . .	...	2
		Kadur „ . . . . .	...	...
		Kolar „ . . . . .	...	...
		Kolar Gold Fields . . . . .	...	...
		Tumkur District . . . . .	...	1
		Shimoga „	17	6
		Chitaldroog „ . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL	44	35
HYDER- ABAD STATE	...	Usmanabad District . . . . .	...	...
		Baichur „	1	1
		Aurangabad „ . . . . .	...	...
		Nizamabad „ . . . . .	...	...
		Gulbargah „	2	2
		Bidar „ . . . . .	...	...
		Parbhani „ . . . . .	...	...
		Atrafbaldah „ Sarf-i-khas . . . . .	...	...
		Nander „ . . . . .	...	...
		Hyderabad City and suburbs . . . . .	...	...
		Bir District . . . . .	...	...
		Adilabad District . . . . .	...	...
		Medak „ . . . . .	...	...
		Nalgondah „	1	2
		Warangal „ . . . . .	...	...
		Karimnagar District . . . . .	...	...
		Mahbubnagar „	1	1
		TOTAL	5 (a)	6 (a)

(a) From the 24th to the 30th March 1913.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Nowgong . . . . .	...	...
		Indore City . . . . .	...	...
		Indore State . . . . .	...	...
		Indore Residency Bazars . . . . .	...	...
		Ujjain City . . . . .	...	...
		Ujjain District . . . . .	...	...
		Gwalior State . . . . .	...	...
		Datia " . . . . .	...	...
		Rutlam " . . . . .	...	...
		Mhow Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Dewas (Senior Branch) Town . . . . .	...	...
		Dewas State (Senior Branch) . . . . .	...	...
		Dewas State (Junior Branch) . . . . .	...	...
		Neemuch Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Piploda State . . . . .	...	...
		Jaora " . . . . .	...	...
		Dhar " . . . . .	...	...
		Bagli " . . . . .	...	...
		Sailana " . . . . .	...	...
		Jhabua " . . . . .	...	...
		Manpur . . . . .	...	...
		Malwa State . . . . .	...	...
		Malwa Prant of Gwalior . . . . .	...	...
		Kurwai State . . . . .	...	...
		Rajgarh " . . . . .	...	...
		Sehore Agency Limits . . . . .	...	...
		Sehore Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Bhopal City . . . . .	...	...
		Bhopal State	8	8
		Rewa " . . . . .	...	...
		Nagode " . . . . .	...	...
		Maihar " . . . . .	...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Barwani State . . . . .	...	...
		Morar Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Sitaman State . . . . .	...	...
		Sohawal " . . . . .	...	...
		Narsingarh " . . . . .	...	...
		Orohha " . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL	8 (a)	8 (a)
		Chitor . . . . .	...	...
		Udaipur City . . . . .	...	...
		Jodhpur City . . . . .	...	...
RAJPUTANA AND AJMER-MERWARA	...	Marwar (Jodhpur) State	2*	1*
		Jaipur City	14	14
		Jaipur State	57	42
		Dholpur City . . . . .	...	...
		Tonk State . . . . .	...	...
		Tonk Pargana Nimbahera . . . . .	...	...
		Partabgarh Town . . . . .	...	...
		Partabgarh State . . . . .	...	...
		Kishangarh " . . . . .	...	...
		Beawar . . . . .	...	...
		Karauli City . . . . .	...	...
		Abu Road . . . . .	...	...
		Bharatpur City . . . . .	...	...
		Bharatpur State	99	73
		Alwar State	5	2
		Ajmer Town . . . . .	...	...
		Shahpura Town . . . . .	...	...
		Sirohi State . . . . .	...	...
		Dungarpur . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL	177 (b)	132 (b)
N.-W. P. PROVINCE	...	Peshawar Cantonment . . . . .	...	...
		Dera Ismail Khan . . . . .	...	...
KASHMIR	...	TOTAL	...	...
		Mirpur District . . . . .	...	...
		Kathua "	27	17
BALUCHISTAN	...	Jammu Province . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL	27	17
		Sonmiani . . . . .	...	...
		Hirok . . . . .	...	...
		Sibi . . . . .	...	...
		Fort Sandeman . . . . .	...	...
BALUCHISTAN	...	Ormara (Las Bela State) . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL	...	...
GRAND TOTAL			13,814	11,818

* Imported.

(a) For the week ending 29th March 1913.

(b) For the week ending 4th April 1913.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 10th April 1913, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. Two depressions affected northwest India during the week and gave light precipitation along the hills and a few light falls of rain in Baluchistan. Rainfall occurred on most days in Assam, and areas of low pressure over Chota Nagpur gave nearly general rain in east Bengal on the 4th and 6th. Weather was practically dry in the rest of the country.

2. *Burma*.—Light rain fell at Victoria Point, Bhamo and Myitkyina.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Rainfall was nearly general in the eastern half of Bengal on the 4th and 6th, and local falls occurred in Bengal on the 3rd, 5th, 7th and 8th. Rain fell in Assam every day except the 8th.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—Light rain fell on the 5th at Bareilly, Chakrata and Mukteswar.

Northwest India.—Precipitation occurred in Kashmir on the 4th, 5th, 8th and 9th, in the North-West Frontier Province on the 4th, 8th and 9th, and in Baluchistan on the 8th and 9th. Murree, Simla, Delhi and Sialkot also had light showers.

The Peninsula.—Light rain fell at Mysore, Mercara, Ootacamund and Kodaikanal.

3. The following gives the chief daily amounts of precipitation:—

April 3rd. Silchar 3·58" and Narayanganj 1·14".

" 4th. Dhubri 0·95", Chittagong 1·55", Narayanganj 1·14", Barisal 1·20", Bogra 0·84", and Sonamarg and Drosh each 1·00".

" 5th. Tezpur 1·45", Gauhati 0·93" and Silchar 1·59".

" 6th. Dhubri 1·48", Silchar 1·85", Cherrapunji 2·30", Chittagong 1·15", Narayanganj 1·04" and Calcutta 1·18".

" 7th. Silchar 1·32".

" 8th. Narayanganj 1·17".

" 9th. Sonamarg 1·25" and Parachinar 0·70".

4. The rainfall of the week was 20 per cent or more in excess in Assam, Bengal and Kashmir, and was normal in the United Provinces West and Mysore. It was 20 per cent or more in defect in all the remaining divisions, except the following where the absence of rainfall is a normal feature at this time of year:—Sind, Rajputana West, Gujarat, Central India, Berar and the Konkan.

The seasonal rainfall up to date is 20 per cent or more in excess in Assam, Bengal, Bihar, Chota Nagpur, the United Provinces and the Central Provinces East. It is within 20 per cent of the normal in Upper Burma, Orissa, Kashmir, the Punjab South-West, Baluchistan, Sind and Central India East, and is 20 per cent or more in defect in the rest of the country.

Division.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 10TH APRIL 1913.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 20TH NOVEMBER 1912 TO 10TH APRIL 1913.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall of season to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	SEASONAL PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL.	
							This week.	Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands	0.1	0.2	-0.1	3.6	11.0	-7.4	- 67	- 68
Lower Burma	0	0.3	-0.3	1.3	2.2	-0.9	- 41	- 32
Upper Burma	0.1	0.2	-0.1	1.4	1.3	+0.1	+ 8	+ 18
Assam	3.0	1.7	+1.3	12.0	8.6	+3.4	+ 40	+ 30
Bengal	1.3	0.4	+0.9	5.4	3.5	+1.9	+ 54	+ 32
Orissa	0	0.2	-0.2	3.7	3.4	+0.3	+ 9	+ 16
Chota Nagpur	0	0.2	-0.2	8.3	3.9	+4.4	+113	+124
Bihar	0	0.1	-0.1	2.4	2.0	+0.4	+ 20	+ 26
United Provinces, East	0	0.1	-0.1	2.5	2.0	+0.5	+ 25	+ 32
United Provinces, West	0.1	0.1	0	4.2	3.3	+0.9	+ 27	+ 28
Punjab, East and North	0	0.2	-0.2	3.5	4.8	-1.3	- 27	- 24
Punjab, South-west	0	0.1	-0.1	2.0	2.3	-0.3	- 13	- 9
Kashmir	1.0	0.8	+0.2	10.5	12.8	-2.3	- 18	- 21
N.-W. Frontier Province	0.2	0.4	-0.2	2.4	4.7	-2.3	- 49	- 49
Baluchistan	0.1	0.2	-0.1	7.0	5.9	+1.1	+ 19	+ 21
Sind	0	0	0	1.0	1.0	0	0	0
Rajputana, West	0	0	0	0.3	0.9	-0.6	- 67	- 67
Rajputana, East	0	0.1	-0.1	0.2	1.2	-1.0	- 83	- 82
Gujarat	0	0	0	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	-100
Central India, West	0	0	0	0	0.5	-0.5	-100	-100
Central India, East	0	0	0	2.4	2.4	0	0	0
Berar	0	0	0	0.1	1.7	-1.6	- 94	- 94
Central Provinces, West	0	0.1	-0.1	1.6	2.0	-0.4	- 20	- 25
Central Provinces, East	0	0.1	-0.1	4.9	2.9	+2.0	+ 69	+ 75
Konkan	0	0	0	0	0.2	-0.2	-100	-100
Bombay Deccan	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.8	-0.8	-100	-100
Hyderabad, North	0	0.1	-0.1	0.3	1.2	-0.9	- 75	- 73
Hyderabad, South	0	0.1	-0.1	0.1	1.2	-1.1	- 92	- 91
Mysore	0.1	0.1	0	0.4	1.5	-1.1	- 73	- 79
Malabar	0	0.6	-0.6	3.2	4.2	-1.0	- 24	- 13
Madras, South-east	0	0.2	-0.2	2.9	7.6	-4.7	- 62	- 61
Madras Deccan	0	0.1	-0.1	0	1.1	-1.1	-100	-100
Madras Coast, North	0	0.1	-0.1	0.3	3.2	-2.9	- 91	- 90

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Dated 10th April 1913.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday,
5th April 1913.

Burma.—Light rain fell in the north. Harvesting of island crops and cultivation of spring and summer rice are proceeding normally. Cattle are healthy. The price of unhusked rice is stationary.

Assam.—There were hail-storms and heavy rain in the Surma Valley; elsewhere the fall was moderate. Ploughing for and sowing of early and late broadcast rice and jute and pressing of sugarcane are in progress. Picking of tea continues. The average price of common rice has risen slightly. Cattle disease is reported from five districts.

Bengal.—During the week rain fell throughout the Province except in Midnapore, Dinajpur and Rangpur. The fall was heavy in Noakhali. Prospects of standing crops are generally good. Preparation of fields for autumn paddy and jute is going on briskly and sowings thereof continue. Harvesting of spring crops and pressing of sugarcane are approaching completion. The average price of common rice for the Province has a tendency to fall. Cattle disease is reported from Khulna and parts of Murshidabad, Dacca and Mymensingh.

Bihar and Orissa.—Light showers fell during the week in parts of Patna, Bhagalpur, Cuttack and Manbhum. There was no rain in the rest of the Province. Harvesting of spring crops and planting of sugarcane still continue. Preparation of lands for the next season's crops is in progress. Sowings of jute have begun in Purnea. The condition of standing crops is good. The price of common rice is rising. The condition of cattle is on the whole good. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient throughout the Province. Agricultural prospects in the Feudatory States of Orissa are on the whole good.

United Provinces.—The week was rainless except for a fall in Rampur and showers in Tehri. Harvesting continues and winnowing and threshing are in full swing. Extra crops are being irrigated. Sugarcane is still being planted and is reported to be doing well. Opium is still being extracted. Standing crops are reported to be good. Fodder and water are sufficient everywhere. In Mirzapur the numbers on test works have fallen to 1,069 and on canal and water-works to 6,485. Gathering of *mahua* is giving employment in precarious tracts. In the Benares State the numbers on relief works have fallen to 1,920 and on gratuitous relief to 899. Cattle disease retains its hold on Bundelkhand but elsewhere continues to decrease. There is a distinct fall in the level of prices.

Punjab.—The weather is generally dry. The condition of irrigated spring crops is average to good and that of unirrigated crops fair. Spring crops are being harvested. The outturn of irrigated crops is average to good and that of unirrigated crops below average. Sowings of extra spring crops and of sugarcane and cotton and ploughings for other autumn crops continue. Cattle are generally healthy but fodder is insufficient in places. Prices remain high.

North-West Frontier Province.—No rain fell during the week except insignificant showers in Hazara and in the Charsadda tahsil of the Peshawar district. The weather is at times cloudy but the cold is decreasing. Standing crops are generally good on irrigated areas and average on unirrigated areas. Sowings of sugarcane and extra spring crops are in progress. Cattle are in good condition. The fodder and watersupply is generally sufficient. Prices are high but are falling in Peshawar.

Jammu.—Slight rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 9 to 16 and maize from 12 to 19 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is fair. Fodder is insufficient in some tahsils.

Kashmir.—It rained on two occasions during the week. The state of standing crops is good. Ploughing operations for autumn crops are in progress. No damage to crops is reported. Prices are normal.

Rajputana.—The weather is hot. Harvesting is in progress. Standing crops are in good condition and prospects are generally fair. Cattle are in good condition. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prices are generally high but are falling. Harvesting of the opium crop in Kishengarh has been completed.

Central India.—Usually hot conditions are prevalent. Harvesting of spring crops continues with outturn generally excellent. Land is being ploughed for autumn sowings. Cattle disease prevails in parts of Gwalior, Indore, Bhopal, Bundelkhand and Malwa. The fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are falling steadily as the new grain is coming on the market.

Central Provinces.—The weather continues to be clear. The days are hot but the nights and mornings are cool. Harvesting of spring crops is progressing rapidly and threshing continues. Fodder and water are sufficient but fodder is getting dear or scarce in Saugor, Chhindwara, Wardha, Akola, Amraoti and Buldana. Cattle are in good condition. Variations in the prices of food grains are insignificant.

Feudatory States.—The condition of spring crops is generally good and prospects are favourable. Prices remain fairly steady.

Bombay.—Standing spring crops are generally in good condition. Harvesting continues. Cotton picking is progressing in parts of Gujarat, Satara, the Karnatak, Rewa Kantha and Kolhapur. Preparation of lands for cultivation of autumn crops generally continues. The fodder supply is deficient in parts of Hyderabad and Ahmednagar. Agricultural stock is generally in good condition and sufficient except in parts of Cutch. The condition of stock is deteriorating in Ahmednagar. Drinking water is generally adequate except in parts of Ahmednagar, Sholapur and Bijapur. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of the Deccan and Bijapur. Prices are high but steady. The public health is generally good. Grain stocks are sufficient.

*The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows:—*Distress is deepening in Ahmednagar. There is little wandering or emaciation yet. Four kitchens and nine poor-houses continue to give relief. People on relief are generally in fair condition. The public health is generally good. Land revenue suspensions have been granted and *takavi* is being advanced freely for fodder and wells. Government grass is being readily sold. Measures for the improvement of the water-supply from Government and Local Board grants continue. Charitable funds are being utilized for the relief of weavers and for seven cattle kitchens. The numbers on gratuitous relief for the week ending 5th April were:—Ahmednagar 15,640. Poona and Sholapur 836. Total 16,476.

Hyderabad.—Harvesting of spring crops is nearing completion. Picking of castor seed continues in a few parts. Late rice is being irrigated in many parts. The crop is good in places and generally fair. Measures to afford relief in the affected talukas of the Aurangabad and Bir districts continue. The labourers on work daily during the weeks ending the 22nd and 29th March were 9,327 and 8,565, respectively. Fodder scarcity prevails in 24 talukas, water scarcity in 23 and cattle disease in 7. Prices:—wheat 6½, coarse rice 5½ and *juar* 10½ seers per rupee. White *juar* is selling at 12 seers in Hyderabad City. The highest price in districts is 7 seers in Karimnagar and the lowest 18 seers in Adilabad.

Mysore.—Slight rain fell in Bangalore, Kolar and Mysore. The price of *ragi* has fallen slightly in Mysore and Hassan and is steady elsewhere. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition and prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—No rain fell during the week. Prices of food grains are rising. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient. The public health is fair.

Madras.—Light rain fell in Ramnad, Tinnevely and the Nilgiris. There was no rain elsewhere. Standing crops are fair to good. Harvesting of dry crops and sugarcane is proceeding and that of paddy is nearing completion in parts with outturn fair to normal. Sowings of dry crops and paddy are proceeding normally. Planting of sugarcane is commencing in parts. The condition of cattle is generally good. Fodder and water are generally sufficient. Prices show a slight downward tendency.

Statement showing the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts in which famine has been declared.

Name of Province or State.	PRECEDING WEEK (REVISED).			PRESENT WEEK.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>British Provinces.</i>							
Bombay	16,315	16,315	...	15,640	15,640	—675

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

FAMINE.

Statement showing the number of persons on relief works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in the Districts of British Provinces and in Native States affected by famine or scarcity in India.

For the week ending 29th March 1913.

No.	Name of district or State.	AREA UNDER FAMINE RELIEF.							TRACTS UNDER OBSERVATION AND TEST.	
		Area affected in square miles.	Estimated population of area in column 3.	Number of persons employed on relief works.	NUMBER OF PERSONS ON GRATUITOUS AND SPECIAL RELIEF.			Grand total on relief.	Number of persons on test works.	Number of persons in receipt of gratuitous relief.
					Dependents of relief workers relieved on works.	Relieved in villages, kitchens, poor-houses, etc.	Total.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	<i>Districts.</i>				BOMBAY.					
1	Ahmednagar	6,024	866,000	...	...	16,315	16,315	16,315	...	...
2	Poona ...	(Not given)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43
3	Bholapur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	788
	Total Bombay	6,024	866,000	...	...	16,315	16,315	16,315	...	886
					UNITED PROVINCES.					
1	Mirzapur...	(Not given)	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,130	...
	<i>Native States.</i>									
1	Chakia district of the Benares State.	Ditto	2,047	2,490
	Total United Provinces.	3,177	2,490

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

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(CIVIL VETERINARY ADMINISTRATION.)

Simla, the 7th April 1913.

The following Order issued by the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, London, is published for general information :—

(8808.)

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 4TH MARCH 1913.)

The Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in them under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1911, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :

1. The date on which Chapter I. (*Importation*) of the Horses (Importation and Transit) Order of 1912 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Order) shall come into operation is hereby further altered to the first day of July, nineteen hundred and thirteen.
2. The provisions of paragraph (ix.) (*Food and Water*) of Article 13 of the principal Order shall not, until the first day of July, nineteen hundred and thirteen, apply to a vessel on which horses, asses, or mules are carried to any port in Great Britain or from any such port to any port in the British Islands.
3. The first day of July, nineteen hundred and thirteen, shall be substituted for the first day of January, nineteen hundred and thirteen, in the Schedule to the principal Order (*Orders Revoked*).

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have hereunto set their Official Seal this fourth day of March, nineteen hundred and thirteen.



Sydney Olivier,

Secretary.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Total Gross Indian Sea and Land Customs Revenue (excluding Salt Revenue)

[In thousands of Rupees.]

IN THE TWELVE MONTHS, APRIL TO MARCH, OF										
	1902-04	1904-05	1905-06	1906-07	1907-08	1908-09	1909-10	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13
SEA CUSTOMS										
IMPORTS										
<i>Special Import Duties</i>										
Arms, ammunition, and military stores	3.49	4.17	4.10	4.46	5.55	5.25	4.82	5.00	5.18	6.81
Liquors—										
Ale, beer, porter, cider and other fermented liquors	2.54	2.88	3.12	3.09	3.85	5.27	5.43	8.00	8.00	8.87
Spirits and liqueurs	75.16	76.59	90.32	77.98	92.66	95.27	95.57	1,06.87	1,10.88	1,11.80
Wines	3.80	3.74	3.96	3.83	3.99	3.97	4.12	5.71	5.75	5.80
Opium and its alkaloids*	3	4	3	4	4		3	8	6	6
Petroleum	44.00	45.88	36.65	37.77	44.04	53.26	46.88	60.68	75.69	70.26
Silver, bullion and coin (a)	40.27	41.12	29.34	40.79	51.70	63.64	53.47	1,62.40	97.86	1,08.46
Sugar (countervailing duties, 1899)	2.32	13	1	1	...	1	1	1	...	11
Sugar (countervailing duties, 1902)	21	9	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Tobacco (a)	2.30	2.55	3.02	3.06	3.77	3.54	5.22	29.95	25.88	27.41
<i>General Import Duties</i>										
Articles of food and drink (excluding sugar)	15.46	18.16	19.15	19.86	24.79	26.07	24.17	25.81	27.59	29.14
Sugar (ordinary duties)	29.27	32.49	30.91	43.82	44.76	51.56	56.76	62.88	52.34	73.21
Chemicals, drugs, medicines and narcotics (excluding opium and its alkaloids* and tobacco), and dyeing and tanning materials	11.54	11.35	11.47	12.16	14.68	13.37	14.54	16.57	16.79	18.49
Cotton manufactures—										
Piece goods, grey	45.75	56.47	64.92	64.10	66.96	52.20	60.02	59.90	67.00	87.16
" white	21.57	28.73	29.87	25.73	40.78	27.12	26.74	33.55	38.20	45.00
" coloured	27.92	31.04	33.20	33.49	38.04	33.14	30.93	40.71	42.95	51.57
Other goods	3.59	4.86	3.40	5.82	6.09	5.66	6.16	7.61	8.02	8.59
Metals (excluding silver, bullion and coin) and manufactures thereof	34.19	34.63	30.78	34.53	45.64	47.05	45.88	53.04	51.25	53.27
Oils (excluding petroleum)	93	96	1.24	1.84	2.71	1.36	1.24	1.39	1.17	1.60
Manufactured articles	70.81	81.60	82.78	84.83	97.77	94.25	92.69	1,13.88	1,23.53	1,38.42
Raw materials and unmanufactured articles	9.18	10.29	12.12	11.38	14.95	16.09	14.95	14.61	14.77	16.58
TOTAL IMPORTS	4,44.33	4,58.37	5,00.90	5,08.59	6,08.39	5,98.08	5,89.80	8,08.61	7,72.86	8,61.63
Excise duty on cotton goods	20.77	23.82	27.07	29.00	34.00	35.44	40.06	42.80	48.69	55.97
EXPORT DUTIES—										
Rice, husked or unhusked, including rice-flour	1,20.31	1,31.86	1,15.11	1,05.32	1,02.33	81.81	1,04.63	1,30.88	1,36.23	1,47.49
LAND CUSTOMS AND MISCELLANEOUS	9.58	10.22	9.12	9.84	10.95	9.47	10.47	10.56	12.27	13.23
GRAND TOTAL	5,94.94	6,54.27	6,52.20	6,52.75	7,50.67	7,24.80	7,44.76	9,92.85	9,70.05	10,78.22
<i>Provincial distribution of Imports and Exports</i>										
Bengal	{ Imports .	1,50.13	1,73.04	1,79.11	1,77.40	2,18.44	1,92.08	2,12.21	2,52.61	2,68.96
	{ Exports .	18.00	21.83	24.31	13.05	7.63	9.99	15.16	20.60	25.64
Bihar and Orissa	{ Imports .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Exports .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.29
Bombay	{ Imports .	1,77.46	1,56.36	1,90.35	1,93.58	2,26.53	2,24.75	2,16.52	2,36.54	2,91.76
	{ Exports .	2.73	2.51	2.09	2.14	1.80	2.64	3.12	2.19	1.63
Sind	{ Imports .	33.29	36.27	46.06	48.80	53.43	60.33	54.22	71.07	75.95
	{ Exports .	1.53	1.89	1.98	4.65	3.31	2.31	2.64	2.88	2.25
Madras	{ Imports .	40.49	42.74	39.02	40.81	47.05	54.98	49.25	61.93	63.27
	{ Exports .	9.83	7.09	4.78	10.51	12.89	9.82	6.61	7.28	8.05
Burma	{ Imports .	42.96	46.96	46.34	48.00	57.95	65.96	57.40	66.46	69.92
	{ Exports .	87.63	98.54	83.00	74.97	76.70	57.55	77.10	98.43	98.66

* The duty on alkaloids of opium for the years previous to 1910-11 is included under the head "Chemicals, drugs, etc."
(a) Figures for the years previous to 1910-11 represent "General Import Duties"

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**WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES IN THE SECOND HALF OF
MARCH 1913 OF:**

RICE
WHEAT AND FLOUR
BARLEY
JAWAR
BAJRA
RAGI
KANGNI
MAIZE
GRAM

ARHAR DÁL
OATS
COTTON SEED
LINSEED
MUSTARD AND RAPSEED
SESAMUM (*Til* or *jinjili*)
GHI
SUGAR, RAW (*Gár*)
SALT

TOBACCO LEAF
TURMERIC
GRASS AND STRAW
JAWAR STALKS
BHUSA (WHITE)
BRAN
SHZEP AND BULLOCKS
KEROSENE OIL

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF MARCH

DISTRICTS	RICE, UNHUSKED		RICE, HUSKED		WHEAT		FLOUR (WHEAT)		BARLEY		JAWAR		BAJRA		R
	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	
Burma*—															
<i>Tenasserim—</i>															
Mergui	...	...	44.14	50.39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	32.32	39.26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	40	42.95	55.65	55.65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Pegu (deltaic)—</i>															
Rangoon	...	...	41.29	48.54	51.2	37.21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	42.95	57.14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	42.95	44.44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Pegu (inland)—</i>															
Hensada	...	...	38.79	55.17	76.19	56.14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Upper Burma—</i>															
Mandalay	...	...	39.26	44.44	37.43	41.83	...	...	...	...	23.27	...	...	...	...
Pakokku	...	...	40	45.71	...	...	...	...	...	...	23.38	22.38	...	...	...
<i>Arakan—</i>															
Akyab	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam*—															
<i>Burma—</i>															
Balaganj (Sylhet)	22.5	20	37.5	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Brahmaputra—</i>															
Goalpara	26.25	15.62	45	32.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ganabati	21.25	15	40	38.75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal*—															
<i>Eastern—</i>															
Chittagong	20	...	35	37.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	45	41.87	36.25	37.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Deltaic—</i>															
Calcutta	...	...	55	47.5	32.5	41.25	...	...	27.5	32.5	31.25	32.5	35	32.5	...
<i>Western—</i>															
Bardwan	...	...	40.94	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Midnapur</i>															
Midnapur	...	...	38.75	36.25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Northern—</i>															
Pabna	31.25	22.5	51.56	36.25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bangpur	28.75	17.5	50	36.25	42.5	42.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa*—															
<i>Bihar, north—</i>															
Bhagalpur	...	...	49.37	34.37	40	32.5	...	...	28.75	22.5	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	50	40	44.87	44.87	...	...	28.59	22.19	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Bihar, south—</i>															
Patna	...	...	45	30.62	35	28.44	...	...	29.64	20	21.25	20	31.25	...	...
<i>Orissa—</i>															
Cuttack	...	...	38.07	35.31	38.07	33.85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—															
<i>(a) AGRA—</i>															
<i>Eastern—</i>															
Benares	24.53	22.86	53.02	46.41	34.58	33.59	40.86	40.36	33.02	23.71	24.53	...	27.13	...	...
<i>Central—</i>															
Cawnpore	23.75	26.67	47.5 & 60	42.19	33.12	35.52	37.5	40	23.75	25.42	22.5	21.61	25	25.78	...
Jhansi	...	...	58.88	46.12	35.78	25.57	...	...	23.54	21.04	22.61	22.19	26.25	...	...
<i>Western—</i>															
Meerut	...	...	58.28	47.03	35.62	34.84	39.06	38.13	25	26.56	25	...	27.66	...	...
Agra	55.31	47.08	57.24	53.83	33.33	31.98	42.34	41.25	23.54	26.67	24.27	24.22	24.27	29.58	...
<i>Submontane, west—</i>															
Shahjahanpur	26.56	22.5	60	...	36.25	32.5	38.28	...	24.06	23.12	23.5	21.87	22.61	23.75	...
<i>ODDH—</i>															
<i>Southern—</i>															
Lucknow	...	...	44.43	49.23	34.79	31.98	40	41.04	22.24	23.54	20	30	22.24	23.54	...
<i>Northern—</i>															
Fyzabad	25.62	22.5	50	44.74	35	32.5	...	...	24.37	22.5	20	...	25	...	...

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice

The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

CROP	MAIZE		GRAM		ARHAR DAL		OATS		COTTON SEED		LINSSEED		MUSTARD AND RAPESEED		DISTRICTS
	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	
															Burma—
															<i>Tenasserim—</i>
															<i>Mergui</i>
															<i>Tavoy</i>
															<i>Moulmein and</i>
															<i>Amherst</i>
															<i>Pegu (deltaic)—</i>
															<i>Bangoon</i>
															<i>Maubin</i>
															<i>Bassein</i>
															<i>Pegu (inland)—</i>
															<i>Henzada</i>
															<i>Toangoo</i>
															<i>Upper Burma—</i>
															<i>Mandalay</i>
															<i>Pakokku</i>
															<i>Arakan—</i>
															<i>Akyab</i>
															Assam—
															<i>Surma—</i>
															<i>Balaganj (Sylhet)</i>
															<i>Brahmaputra—</i>
															<i>Goalpara</i>
															<i>Gauhati</i>
															Bengal—
															<i>Eastern—</i>
															<i>Chittagong</i>
															<i>Dacca</i>
															<i>Deltaic—</i>
															<i>Calcutta</i>
															<i>Western—</i>
															<i>Bardwan</i>
															<i>Midnapur</i>
															<i>Northern—</i>
															<i>Pabna</i>
															<i>Rangpur</i>
															Bihar and Orissa—
															<i>Bihar, north—</i>
															<i>Bhagalpur</i>
															<i>Muzaffarpur</i>
															<i>Bihar, south—</i>
															<i>Patna</i>
															<i>Orissa—</i>
															<i>Cuttack</i>
															United Provinces—
															<i>(a) AGRA—</i>
															<i>Eastern—</i>
															<i>Benares</i>
															<i>Central—</i>
															<i>Cawnpore</i>
															<i>Jhansi</i>
															<i>Western—</i>
															<i>Meerut</i>
															<i>Agra</i>
															<i>Submontane, west—</i>
															<i>Shahjahanpur</i>
															<i>(b) OUDH—</i>
															<i>Southern—</i>
															<i>Lucknow</i>
															<i>Northern—</i>
															<i>Fyzabad</i>

WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF MARCH—continued

DISTRICTS	SERANUM (Til or jinjils)		GHI		SUGAR, RAW (Gur)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF		TURNERIC		GRASS	
	1912	1912	1912	1912	1912	1912	1912	1912	1912	1912	1912	1912	1912	1912
Burma—														
<i>Tenasserim—</i>														
Mergui . . . . .	...	...	640	581.82	...	...	17.16	16.93	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy . . . . .	...	...	581.82	581.82	...	...	20.51	20.51	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst . . . . .	...	...	457.14	457.14	...	...	16.89	17.98	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Pegu (deltaic)—</i>														
Rangoon . . . . .	...	...	533.33	533.33	...	...	18.83	18.39	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin . . . . .	...	...	581.82	6.0	...	...	22.86	21.62	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein . . . . .	...	...	492.31	492.31	...	...	22.86	22.86	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Pegu (inland)—</i>														
Hensada . . . . .	...	...	533.33	533.33	...	...	22.86	22.86	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	24.81	24.81	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Upper Burma—</i>														
Mandalay . . . . .	...	...	533.33	457.14	...	...	22.61	22.54	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pakokka . . . . .	...	...	711.11	711.11	...	...	22.54	22.54	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Arahan—</i>														
Akyab . . . . .	...	...	533.33	533.33	...	...	20.63	30.77	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam—														
<i>Burma—</i>														
Bhinganj (Sylhet) . . . . .	...	...	580	485	57.5	50	20.62	20.62	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Brahmaputra—</i>														
Goalpara . . . . .	...	...	510	470	60	60	21.25	20.62	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati . . . . .	...	...	535	490	55	58.75	25	25	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal—														
<i>Eastern—</i>														
Chittagong . . . . .	...	...	490	570	62.5	65	17.5	17.81	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca . . . . .	...	...	530	480	70	70	20	22.5	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Deltaic—</i>														
Calcutta	67.5	75	490	470	55	50	18.75	18.12	67.5	65	...	...	12.5	12.5
<i>Western—</i>														
Bardwan . . . . .	...	...	540	470	37.5	50	18.44	19.37	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapur . . . . .	...	...	{ 500 to 560 }	{ 440 to 520 }	53.75	110	20	20	{ 160 and 110 }	115	...	...	...	...
<i>Northern—</i>														
Patna . . . . .	...	...	540	...	42.5	47.5	22.5	20.62	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur . . . . .	...	...	525	500	75	60	22.5	22.5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—														
<i>Bihar north—</i>														
Bhagalpur	80	58.75	475	480	40	45	18.44	20	100	80	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur . . . . .	...	...	457.5	457.5	33.25	36.25	20.94	20.94	206.56	160	...	...	...	...
<i>Bihar, south—</i>														
Patna	70	70	440	420	40	45	20.78	20.62	20	20	...	...	...	...
<i>Orissa—</i>														
Cuttack	70.15	85.78	507.5	481.25	42.5	53.33	10.25	18.12	90	101.87	...	...	5	5
United Provinces—														
(a) AGRA—														
<i>Eastern—</i>														
Banars	63.75	73.33	533.33	438.91	44.43	43.12	22.5	22.24	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Central—</i>														
Cawnpore	{ 90 and 108 }	100	490	457.18	{ 30 and 35 }	47.08	18.75	17.76	170	75	90	105	...	...
Jhansi	60.94	68.12	512.03	387.5	50	50	20	21.09	...	...	...	...	5.62	5.62
<i>Western—</i>														
Meerut . . . . .	...	...	533.28	476.41	...	47.03	17.34	17.34	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agra . . . . .	...	...	495.21	441.35	57.13	57.13	17.76	17.4	110	80	130	130	6.67	6.67
<i>Submontane, west—</i>														
Shahjahanpur	72.66	...	480	440	40	...	20	20.62	180	...	{ 120 and 130 }	{ 120 and 140 }	...	...
(b) OURN—														
<i>Southern—</i>														
Lucknow . . . . .	...	...	505	465	36.35	57.13	20	21.04	...	...	120	125	5	5
<i>Northern—</i>														
Fyzabad . . . . .	...	...	515	455	28.75	35	20.62	20.94	...	...	...	...	...	...

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

STRAW		JAWAB STALKS		BHUSA (WHITE)		BRAN		SHEEP, PER SCORE		PLOUGH BULLOCKS, PER PAIR		KEOSONE OIL, PER TIN		DISTRICTS
1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	1913	1912	
						22-86	10-84					8-87		Burma—
						11-43	11-43					2		Tenasserim—
						11-9	11-85					2	2	Mergui
														Tavoy
														Moulmein and Amherst
												1-81	1-75	Pegu (deltaic)—
														Rangoon
						11-43	14-29					1-75	1-75	Maubin
														Bassein
														Pegu (inland)—
														Henzada
												1-94	1-94	Tongoo
						30-92	28-83							Upper Burma—
												2	1-81	Mandalay
														Pakokku
												2-25	2-25	Arahan—
														Akyab
														Assam—
												1-94	1-89	Surma—
												2-62	2-31	Balaganj (Sylhet)
												2-06	1-91	Brahmaputra—
														Goolpara
														Gauhati
														Bengal—
												1-81	1-75	Eastern—
												2-17	2-06	Chittagong
														Dacca
10	8-75					23-75	23-75					2-02	1-72	Deltaic—
														Calcutta
4-69						20-25						1-94		Western—
4-57	5											2-09	2	Bardwan
												2-06	2	Midnapur
												2-37	2-12	Northern—
														Fabpa
														Bangpur
						20-25						1-97	1-87	Bihar and Orissa—
				5	5	15-94	15-94					2-03	1-94	Bihar, north—
				6-87	* 62	20	16-25					2-02	2	Bhagalpur
5-62	5-62					6-25	6-25					2-06	1-75	Muzaffarpur
														Bihar, south—
														Patna
														Orissa—
														Cuttack
														United Provinces—
														(a) AGRA—
				7-97		25-83	21-09					2-75	2-75	Eastern—
				5-62		20	19-06	{ 60 and 70 }	75			2-34	2-12	Benares
												2-19	2-19	Central—
				6-56		22-19	19-84							Cawnpore
4-01	5		8-91	5-68		24-22	21-04			80	80	2-87	2-25	Jhansi
				6-87		30-62	30	{ 60 and 65 }	{ 60 and 65 }	60 and 80	40 and 60 }	2-44	2-19	Western—
				5-62		22-5	18-75	40	40			2-44	2-28	Meerut
				6-87						45	40	2-81	2	Agra
														Submontane, west—
														Shahjahanpur
														(b) OUDH—
														Southern—
														Lucknow
														Northern—
														Fyzabad